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NOT AN AMERICAN LIFE LOST IN DEWEY'S GLORIOUS VICTORY.

Three Hundred Spanish Dead and Four Hundred Wounded Attest the Marksmanship of the Yankee Bluejackets.

Secretary Long Telegraphs the Thanks of the Nation to Its Defenders.

Troops Will Immediately Be Sent to the Philippines to Retain Control of the Islands.

Another Spanish Prize Captured This Morning Near Hayti—A French Vessel Reports Three of Spain's Warships at Porto Rico.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, May 7.—Nothwithstanding the fact that everybody for several days past has been in momentary expectation of cable advices from Commodore Dewey, the town was thrown into the wildest excitement at breakfast time this morning by the issuance of extra papers, announcing the arrival of the McCulloch at Hong Kong with dispatches for the Government from Dewey. The publication of newspaper dispatches telling of the terrible mortality among the Spanish and the escape of American forces and ships from serious injury added to the excitement and to the intense satisfaction with which the long-expected news was received.

There was an instant rush of newspaper men to the Navy Department to secure further information from the officials, and, perhaps dismayed by the number and impetuosity of the newspaper contingent, the officials of the Navigation Bureau, where cipher dispatches are transcribed and translated, promptly closed and locked their doors against invasion. One of the officers of the Bureau had been on duty every moment of the twenty-four hours for several weeks past, waiting to receive cablegrams of importance.

A similar condition has prevailed at the State Department, where one of the assistant secretaries and the chief clerk has divided up the watch of nights, sleeping on temporary cots set up in the ante-room. The State Department has the honor of receiving the first news. It came in the shape of a cablegram of three words from United States Consul Wildman at Hong Kong and was as follows:

"Hong Kong. McCulloch. Wildman."

That is the usual form in which naval movements are reported by cable. This dispatch was received by Third Assistant Secretary Cridler, who was turned out of his cot by a messenger boy at 4:40 o'clock this morning. The naval officials were promptly notified and awaited with intense interest the dispatch which was expected to surely follow from Commodore Dewey.

About 9:30 o'clock Manager Marean of the Western Union Telegraph Company appeared at the Department, bringing a sheet comprising four lines of mysterious jargon which makes up the naval cipher. He handed this directly to Secretary Long, who gazed at it for a moment and turned it over to Lieutenant Whittlesy, one of the cipher experts of the Navigation Bureau, for translation. Then the Secretary made a pretense of sitting down at his desk to transact other business, but it was plain to be seen that in spirit he had joined the anxious throng of newspaper men and officials who thronged the reception room and the corridors waiting for the news. The naval cipher is one of the most complex in the world. The messages come in words of strange formation taken from all languages. These words are turned by the translating clerks into groups of figures, and these in turn are resolved into their equivalent words in English. All this takes time. Meanwhile, Secretary Alger, hearing of the receipt of news, had come over from the War Department to see his colleague, and he waited patiently for the translation. Senator Hoar, member of the Foreign Relations Committee, also joined Secretary Long and waited upon the cipher experts.

About 10 o'clock a prominent officer gave the newspaper men a short abstract of the cablegram so far as received. This only whetted the interest of the crowd in waiting. Half an hour later Secretary Long appeared with a copy of the translated cipher in his hand. There was a great rush toward him, but the Secretary good naturedly made allowance for the excitement of the crowd, and smilingly read from the corner of the room into which he had been forced the following cablegram:

"MANILA, May 1.—Squadron arrived at Manila at daybreak this morning. Immediately engaged the enemy and destroyed the following Spanish vessels: Reina Cristina, Castilla, Don Antony de Ulla, El Cano, Isla de Luzon, Isla de Cuba, General Lezo, Marques de Duero, Cooreo, Velasco, Isla de Mindanao, a transport and water battery at Cavite. The squadron is uninjured, and only a few men are slightly wounded. Only means of telegraphing is to American Consul at Hong Kong. I shall communicate with him.

"(Signed) "DEWEY."

It was immediately noticed that the cablegram, as officially promulgated, did not entirely agree with the brief summary of its points which had been previously given out, and the immediate presumption was that in the short time accorded for consideration the officials had concluded that it was public policy to expurgate the dispatch. Thus, as made public, it contained no reference to the cutting of the cable by Admiral Dewey, to the fact that he lacked men to take possession of the place, and finally that he had the entire bay of Manila at his mercy.

It was also noted that the dispatch bore date of May 1st. The McCulloch could not have occupied more than six days in making the short run across to Hong Kong. Therefore it was assumed that the above dispatch was only the first of two or more that had been brought over to Hong Kong by the McCulloch. In other words, Commodore Dewey had written Sunday night, stating in his message that brief account of the day's work. Instead of sending it immediately by the McCulloch to Hong Kong, he had delayed the vessel for two or three days at least, probably to use her in the subsequent bombardment of the town and fortifications. The events of these last two days were without doubt made the subject of one or more of the dispatches which are to follow the original message.

The department at 10 o'clock, after the first message was at hand, was still receiving sheets of cipher code from the telegraph company, while the cipher experts were still at work behind the closed doors of the Navigation Bureau.

Shortly before noon Secretary Long left the Navy Department for the White House, and an official confirmation was made that a second dispatch from Commodore Dewey had been received.

The Secretary carried this with him to the White House, and pending the conference with the President, there was intense eagerness among the waiting crowd to learn the contents of the second dispatch. Senators who saw the President secured a brief intimation that Dewey's victory was overwhelming and that he had a large number of Spanish prisoners in his possession.

At 12:30 P. M. Secretary Long came from the President's private room with a copy of the second message from Dewey, but in order to give equal facilities to the great crowd of people waiting to gain information, he held it until he reached his private office. Then his secretary, Mr. Finney, brought the message to the large reception room and read as follows:

"Cavite, May 4—Long, Secretary Navy;—I have taken possession of naval station at Cavite, Philippine Islands, and destroyed its fortifications. Have destroyed fortifications at the bay entrance ,patrolling the garrison. I control the bay completely and can take the city at any time. The squadron is in excellent health and spirits. The Spanish loss is not fully known but very heavy, 150 killed, including the Captain of Reina Cristina. I am assisting in protecting the Spanish sick and wounded. Two hundred and fifty sick and wounded in hospital within our lines. Much excitement at Manila. Will protect foreign interests.

"DEWEY."

Following this, Secretary Long gave out his reply to Dewey, which has been cabled by direction of the President, as follows:

"Washington, May 7, Dewey, Manila.—The President in the name of the American people thanks you and your officers and men for your splendid achievement and overwhelming victory. In recognition he has appointed you Acting Admiral and will recommend a vote of thanks to you by Congress.

(Signed) "LONG,

"Secretary of Navy."

At the last words of the dispatch, several of the hearers called for three cheers for Dewey. They were given with a will, which fairly shook the building.

Dewey's Great Victory.

WASHINGTON, May 7. Secretary Long at 10:30 o'clock received the following dispatch from Admiral Dewey—

"Hongkong, May 1. The Squadron arrived at Manila at daybreak this morning. I immediately engaged the enemy and distroyed the following boats: Reina Christina, Castilla, Don Antony de Ulla, Isla de Cuba, General Lego, Marques del Duero, El Cano, Velasco, one transport, Islade Mindano, Islade Luzon. The American Squadron is uninjured. None of our men were killed, and only a few men were slightly wounded. The only means of telegraphing is to the American Consul at Hongkong. I shall communicate with him.—DEWEY."

DEWEY'S SECOND DISPATCH:

"Cavite, May 4. I have taken possession of Naval Station at Cavite on Philippine Islands. Have distroyed the fortifications at Bay entrance, patrolling garrison. I control bay completely and can take city at any time. The Squadron in excellent health and spirits. Spanish loss not fully known, but very heavy, 15o killed, including Captain of Reina Christina. I am assisting in protecting Spanish sick and wounded in hospital within our lines. Much excitement at Manila. Will protect foreign residents.—DEWEY."

It is learned that 300 Spaniards were killed and 400 wounded by Dewey's guns. Dewey cut the cable himself and is now in complete possession of Manila.

Arrangements are under way to send troops soon from the Pacific Slope and Idaho to enable Admiral Dewey to take control of the Philippines.

AMERICA CONGRATULATES DEWEY.

WASHINGTON, May 7. By direction of President, Secretary Long sent the following cable dispatch to Commodore Dewey:

Washington, D. C., May 7.

"Dewey,—Manila.—The President, in the name of the American people thanks you and your officers and men for your splendid achievement and overwhelming victory. In recognition he has appointed you Admiral and will recommend a vote of thanks to you by Congress."

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DYNASTY TOTTERING

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

HENDEA, FRANCE, NEAR THE SPANISH FRONTIER, May 7.—Advices which have just reached here from Madrid by mail, in order to escape the Spanish censor, say the general opinion in Madrid is that a military dictatorship is coming, in order to contend against the spreading disturbances arising from hunger, the defeat of the Spanish fleet at Manila, and the political plots of various descriptions. It is added that Marshal Martinez Campos, former Captain General of Cuba, probably will be the head of the dictatorship and that he will be supported by a Cabinet composed in the main of military men, as the last chance of saving the dynasty.

As for General Weyler, who has been looked upon as aiming to become military dictator, it is said his ambitions will be quieted by the office of an important command. At the same time, it is pointed out that Weyler's acceptance of a subordinate position is doubtful, in which case he may have to be dealt with in some other manner.

FIERCE RIOTS.

MADRID, May 7, noon.—A royal decree was gazetted to-day announcing that wheat, maize, rice, barley, oats, flour, beans and potatoes are henceforth to be allowed free entry at all Spanish ports in the peninsula and interdicting the exportation of the same.

The provinces are still in disorder. Renewed rioting is reported from various points, and there have been frequent conflicts between the mobs and police. At Soria, capital of the province of that name, the rioters have burned the market building and the barracks of the troops. Here, again, the women joined in the rioting.

The feeling is especially bitter against the dealers in grain.

Serious trouble is apprehended here and great excitement prevails throughout the capital. The students of the university are assembling there, and it is supposed they intend to promote a riot. A strong force of police has been detailed to prevent the general public from reaching the university and joining the students, which is believed to be the plan of the leaders of the proposed demonstration.

There has been fresh rioting at Ciudad Rel, capital of the province of that name, and martial law has been proclaimed there.

WARSHIPS SIGHTED.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

LONDON, May 7.—A special from Port de France, capital of the island of Martinique, French West India Islands, says five warships, supposed to be Spanish vessels, were sighted off there this morning. They are bound in a northerly direction and might be heading for Porto Rico.

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SUPPOSED SPY JAILED IN SPAIN.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CADIZ, May 7.—A man, said to be an Englishman and giving the name of Otwing Boyer, attempted to telegraph yesterday evening details of the movements of the Spanish warships. The clerks refused to transmit his message without the authority of the manager of the office.

Boyer thereupon went away, but was followed and arrested. He was taken before the Prefect, and his explanations being unsatisfactory, he was imprisoned and handed over to the military authorities, who, it is said, strongly suspect Boyer of being a spy.

VATICAN MAKES A DENIAL.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ROME, May 7.—The Vatican has issued an official statement absolutely denying the report that the Pope has sent an earnest message to the Queen Regent of Spain advising her to immediately ask for the mediation of the European powers and promising his support and that of the powers to obtain an honorable solution of the difficulty.

HELEN GOULD'S SPLENDED GIFT.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, May 7.—The President has accepted the gift of Miss Helen Gould of New York to the Government of $100,000 for war purposes, and her check for that amount was today received at the Treasury Department.

THOMAS HALLAHAN GOES TO HIS REST.

Died Last Night After a Painful and Lingering Illness.

Thomas Hallahan, a well known resident of this city, died last night at 6 o'clock at his residence, 2016 Market street. He had been ill for some time with a complication of troubles and his death was not entirely unexpected. He leaves a wife and children. He was a brother of George and Mary Hallahan, the well known caterers. The deceased was very popular among his friends and neighbors and was noted for his geniality and kindly disposition.

The funeral will be held Monday from Father Serda's church.

Mortuary.

Mrs. Sophia J. Wilson, a native of Indiana, aged 46 years, died at her home, 570 Eleventh street, yesterday. The interment will take place at Mountain View Cemetery tomorrow.

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TROOPS CHEERED.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 7.—The official report of Admiral Dewey's triumph published this morning created the wildest enthusiasm here.

It is now regarded as certain that troops will be sent from here to aid Dewey, and preparations will go on with a rush.

The First Regiment of volunteers has already been sworn in and is in camp at the Presidio. The Seventh Regiment will arrive from Los Angeles this afternoon, making in all 2,000 volunteers immediately available. The steamer City of Pekin, which has been chartered to take the troops to Manila is due here today, it has not been sighted. Immediately upon her arrival she will land her passengers at quarantine at Angel Island, and her cargo at the dock. This will probably take two days. Then she will go to Mare Island navy yard, where she will be loaded with ammunition and supplies for Dewey's flett and fitted wit htemporary quarters for the militia. It is hardily probable that the Pekin will sail for Manila before May 15th.

THE SEVENTH ARRIVES.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 7.—The Seventh Regiment, N. G. C., from Los Angeles, arrived in San Francisco this morning and was given a most enthusiastic reception.

The boys from the South were met at the ferry by Governor Budd, Major-General H. Dickinson, Brigadier-General Warfield, with their staffs, and a detachment of the National Guard naval battalion.

Thousands of people thronged East street long before the boat arrived, and awaited patiently to give the volunteers a fitting reception. When they finally arrived and marched up Market street the wildest enthusiasm prevailed.

When the ferry boat bearing the volunteers touched the lower slip a great cheer went up from the crowd as it caught a glimpse of the blue uniforms and the gleaming rifle barrels.

The order, "forward, march" was given and Lieutenant Birdsall, at the head of the squad of police, cleared a way from the ferry landing and led off up East street. The bugle sounded and the signal corps wheeled into fours and fell in behind the police. Then came troop A of the cavalry, and after it the First Regiment band playing national airs. The Naval Battalion marched after the band, and then came carriages containing the general officers of the National Guard.

After the carriages came a drum corps, and then the Seventh Regiment 1,000 strong, under the command of Colonel Berry. They were as fine appearing a body of young men as one would wish to see. Although the twelve companies contained many new recruits who have just been enlisted to fill the companies out to their maximum strength, they had all been so thoroughly drilled that they marched like veterans.

When the first company of the regiment emerged from the ferry building and appeared on East street a tremendous roar of applause went up from the assembled crowd, and as they marched up Market street the applause never ceased.

All the flags were flying from the tall business houses all over the city and from almost every window along Market street small flags and handkerchiefs were waved by enthusiastic and patriotic citizens.

DEWEY IS MONARCH.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, May 7.—The officials of the Navy Department, as well as all the army officers who were on duty at the War Department, were simply amazed at the extent of the mortality inflicted upon the Spanish by Admiral Dewey, for from the moment when Secretary Long sent his dispatch of congratulation the Commodore became an Admiral.

Officers scratched their heads in vain to think of any genuine hostile engagement between armed forces that had been so one-sided in its results as the battle of Manila and the subsequent engagements. Never before save where some terrible accident such as the blowing up of a ship had occurred, was there any record of such a result.

The opinion was expressed by strategists that with superb judgment Dewey absolutely smothered the fire of the Spanish batteries and ships under the weight of his metal before they had an opportunity to make any effective response. As for the forts, it is likely he took up his position at a distance that his ships beyond the range of old-fashioned ordnance that formed nine-tenths or more of the defensive power of the works, and shelled them into silence, succeeding in escaping hits meantime from the few pieces of modern ordnance that could be trained upon him. Of course this opinion is speculative, but it represents the views of some of the officials of the Navy Department.

Commodore Dewey speaks of "the Spanish sick and wounded within our lines." There can be but one interpretation placed upon this, namely, that the Admiral has occupied Cavite, a considerable town, about seven miles toward the mouth of the bay from Manila. He has thus, supposing he goes no farther, secured a base for the naval fleet which will serve through the remainder of the war at least.

Cavite, it is said, outside of the fortifications, possessed already many of the essentials of a naval station, among them a marine railway capable of lifting out of the water vessels up to 2,000 tons displacement, and hence of great service in the repairing and cleaning of the smaller vessels of the American fleet.

An important feature of Admiral Dewey's cablegram is the statement that he destroyed the fortifications at the entrance. This refers to the strong forts at Corrigidor island, lying at the entrance to the bay, and insures the Admiral against any interruption in the line of communications with the outside world.

As soon as the news of the cablegram had been fairly absorbed by the officials, they turned their attention to the future. It was already in contemplation to send some troops to relieve the squadron of the necessity of occupying Manila, and the forts, if Admiral Dewey should call for them. Although he made no such request in his cablegram, it has been arranged for the sending of an expedition from San Francisco. The City of Pekin is expected at San Francisco today, and the Mare Island Navy Yard people promised to have her in condition to receive troops and supplies by next Thursday. Meanwhile the navy pay officer, Pay Director Griffin, will make every effort to get together some more swift merchant steamers to serve as transports.

It is not doubted that a sufficient number of these can be readily secured from among the swift and powerful steamers of the great ocean lines starting from San Francisco. General Miles thought that about 5,000 troops would suffice to reinforce Dewey. With vessels like the City of Pekin no trouble would be found in carrying these to the Philippines in six ships within three weeks.

It is the purpose to start the expedition on the 15th, a week from tomorrow. The troops will be taken from the West mainly. Senator Shoup was the first in the field with a bid for his people for the Philippine campaign. The War Department promised to take one of the infantry companies from Idaho. Other troops will be drawn from Washington and California. There are eight companies of United States regulars in San Francisco harbor, and they probably will be dispatched, their places in the coast defense being taken by the four cavalry companies at the Presidio and some of the six companies of the Fourteenth Infantry now at Vancouver Barracks.

RIOTERS COWED.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, May 7.—A dispatch to the Herald from Madrid says:

"Everything is despairingly quiet. Communication with Manila is cut off and the news from Cuba is of the most uninteresting character.

"Naturally the news that the Alfonso XIII had arrived at Porto Rico has caused great satisfaction, but, this apart, nothing has happened since Monday that is even worthy of note.

"The government, by placing the city in the hands of the military, has completely cowed those who sought to promote disorder, and not one demonstration has been made since it was made clear that no mercy would be shown to agitators.

"Every one is satisfied that the government does not mean to be bulldozed. Those who would like to do it are too timid and all others are perfectly satisfied that the internal affairs of Spain should not be molested. In short, for the moment stagnation is the word that best defines affairs here at present.

"The Heraldo publishes a dispatch from General Blanco from Havana saying that the American attempt to disembark troops at Salada has been defeated, the disembarking force being compelled to withdraw. The Spanish have four wounded. The Captain-General also says that the Americans were beaten in their attempt to land at Banes."

FRIENDLY ENGLISH.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

LONDON, May 7.—The Spectator in an article today urges America to keep the Philippine Islands, to raise a colored army of 20,000 men, "and with this effective Sepoy army, hold the Philippines, Hawaii and Porto Rico, paying the army of occupation out of local revenues."

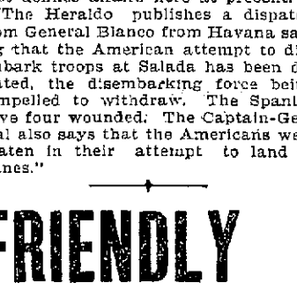
Continuing, the Spectator says:

"With such a garrison these islands would be as safe as a drawing-room and as full of business as Broadway or the Strand."

Referring to the outcome of the war, the Spectator remarks:

"The Americans will emerge from the war with new ideas and larger ambitions. They will have defeated a second-class European state and will feel acutely that, as matters stand, they would have been defeated by a first-class one. They could not have fought France, to say nothing of Great Britain, without suffering grave defeat and enormous losses on land. That is not a position which suits the American temper, and Washington will set itself to construct a first-class iron fleet. That once built, the desire for a position in the world equal to their position among nations will compel them to abandon the idea of non-intervention and change the Monroe doctrine into a direct and effective protectorate of two Americas.

"We hope the Americans will keep the Philippines, and that they can keep them there is no doubt whatever. Europe, to put the truth in its most brutal form, cannot attack them without our permission.



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By Associated Press to The Tribune.

LONDON, May 7.—The Paris correspondent of the Daily Telegraph says:

"The effect upon Paris of the seizure of the steamer Lafayette is clear enough. Already a rather bitter feeling against the United States existed, and this incident will certainly not tend to diminish it. If it is demonstrated eventually that there was nothng to justify the seizure the government may be expected to make the very strongest protest.

"Some very angry expressions are to be heard and arrangements have been made with the Prefect of Police for the efficient protection of the United States Embassy. The place is well guarded by policemen and detectives, in view of any possible hostile demonstrations.

PRIZES TAKEN.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

PORT AU PRINCE, Hayti, May 7.—The United States cruiser Montgomery, Commander G. A. Converse, arrived at Cape Hayti, ninety miles north of here, this morning. She captured yesterday between Hayti and Cuba the Spanish steamer Lorenzo and Franzquito, loaded with cattle and bound from Montoveido to Havana. She is owned in Barcelona. A prize crew was put aboard of her, but the destination of the prize was not announced. A French steamer which has arrived here reports three Spanish warships and one French warship at Porto Rico.

EXPECT A BIG BATTLE.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, May 7.—A special to the World from Washington says:

"'We expect important news from Rear Admiral Sampson's fleet about Sunday night,' said a member of the Cabinet tonight. Rear Admiral Sampson, with a number of his ships, is rapidly sailing toward the Porto Rican coast. He is expected to arrive off Porto Rico Saturday evening.'

"The Spanish Cape Verde fleet, which is believed to be making for San Juan, Porto Rico, should make its appearance some time Sunday. Should the two powerful fleets meet, as now seems imminent, the greatest naval battle of the world will be fought.

"The Spanish fleet is considered by the American authorities as presenting a very formidable array of fighting vessels, and the ability of its commander, Admiral Villamil, is well known. But the naval officials have no fears of the result of a battle between the two fleets. President McKinley and Secretary Long have received no information to change their belief that the Cape Verde fleet is coming this way. Should Rear Admiral Sampson fail to locate the Spaniards after a diligent search, it is not positive that he will attempt to seize Porto Rico. All depends upon the course of events.

"The administration wants first to accomplish the destruction of the Cape Verde fleet. After that has been disposed of a move will be made on Cuba. Havana will be given twenty-four hours to surrender; American troops will then be landed.

"The President hopes that with two of her fleets destroyed Spain will sue for peace and Cuba will be conquered without sending an American soldier to Cuba."

DEWEY'S DISPATCH

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, May 7.—The Navy Department has received a dispatch which it is expected is the long-looked-for cablegram from Dewey. It is dated Hong Kong and is in cipher.

It consists of only four or five lines.

Experts are now deciphering it and will soon have it translated.

FIENDISH SPANIARDS

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, May 7.—A special to the World from Tampa says:

"A telegram to General Lacret received here to-night gives the information that Major Smith, who, on April 24th landed at Caibraicon to escort a party of newspaper correspondents to General Gomez' camp, has been captured by the Spaniards and killed.

"The message was signed by a Cuban officer named Lorenz. He has been with Captain-Dorst of the Fourth Cavalry, who, with two other officers, was sent by General Miles to confer with the insurgents.

"Captain Dorst reached America today and is due in Tampa late to-night en route to Washington, where he will lay before the President and his advisers the information he gained.

"The telegram regarding Smith is brief. It simply says that when his captors discovered his identity and nationality they beheaded him.

"The news is regarded as authentic.

"Nothing is said of the fate of the newspaper men accompanying him."

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DEWEY IN CONTROL.

WASHINGTON, MAY 7.—IT IS SAID AT THE NAVY DEPARTMENT THAT THE DISPATCH ALSO SHOWS THAT OWING TO A LACK OF MEN DEWEY WAS UNABLE TO MAKE A LANDING, BUT THIS WILL NOT INTERFERE WITH HIS HAVING COMPLETE CONTROL.

ANOTHER GOOD PRIZE.

KEY WEST, MAY 7.—THE SHIP FRANCIQUE OF BARCELONA, FOR HAVANA, WITH A CARGO OF JERKED BEEF, HAS BEEN BROUGHT IN HERE BY THE DISPATCH SHIP HAMILTON. SHE WAS CAPTURED OFF HAVANA YESTERDAY BY THE MONTGOMERY.

THREE HUNDRED KILLED.

WASHINGTON, MAY 7.—THE ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF THE NAVY HAS RECEIVED A CABLEGRAM FROM A FRIEND ON THE McCULLOUCH IN WHICH IT IS STATED THAT THE SPANIARDS LOST ELEVEN WARSHIPS WHICH WERE TOTALLY DESTROYED AND THAT BEST OF ALL, NO AMERICAN VESSEL WAS LOST OR EVEN DANGEROUSLY INJURED.

THERE WERE NO AMERICANS KILLED AND ONLY SIX WERE INJURED.

SIX AMERICANS INJURED.

NEW YORK, MAY 7.—THE WORLD IN AN EXTRA EDITION JUST ISSUED PUBLISHES A DISPATCH FROM HONG KONG TO THE EFFECT THAT NEWS RECEIVED THERE FROM MANILA ON THE DISPATCH BOAT McCULLOUCH IS TO THE EFFECT THAT THE ENTIRE SPANISH FLEET OF ELEVEN VESSELS WERE DESTROYED. THREE HUNDRED SPANIARDS WERE KILLED AND 400 WOUNDED. NO LIVES LOST ON UNITED STATES BOATS, BUT SIX PERSONS WERE INJURED. NOT ONE OF THE AMEDICAN SHIPS WERE INJURED.

DEWEY CUT THE CABLE.

WASHINGTON, MAY 7.—IN BRIEF, DEWEY'S MESSAGE STATES THAT THE BATTLE RESULTED IN A COMPLETE VICTORY, THAT HE CUT THE CABLE HIMSELF AND THAT HE HAS THE BAY AND EVERYTHING COMPLETELY AT HIS MERCY. HIS REPORT SAYS THAT NONE OF OUR MEN WERE KILLED AND ONLY A FEW INJURED. THE EXACT NUMBER OF THE WOUNDED HE DOES NOT STATE.

SPAIN'S BOATS NEAR CUBA.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

LONDON, May 7.—Five Spanish warships are believed to have been sighted off the French West Indies.

SPAIN RUSHING TO REVOLUTION.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

LONDON, May 7.—The Vienna correspondent of the Daily Telegraph says: "All the reports that reach us from trustworthy quarters in Madrid agree that there is no doubt affairs in Spain are hurrying rapidly toward a grave crisis. Whatever exists, this appears:

"'The Carlists are increasing the difficulties of the situation even to a higher degree than the Republicans.

"'Not the slightest faith is attached to the assurances of Don Carlos that he is setting an example of quietness and inactivity. On all sides it is thought here that the next few days will bring about events that may change the entire situation in the Spanish capital.

"'This result is now regarded inevitable in those circles in Vienna which are on an intimate footing with the Spanish court. It is declared, however, that in spite of the revolutionary movement which seems to spread every hour in Spain, no fears are entertained for the personal safety of the Queen Regent or her son, nor is it feared that they will be unable, when a suitable moment presents itself, to leave the country uninjured.'"

HONORS FOR DEWEY

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, May 7.—Chairman Boutelle of the House Committee on Naval Affairs says he will introduce from that committee on Monday a resolution of thanks to Commodore Dewey. He will also introduce a bill creating an additional Rear Admiral. Commodore Dewey cannot be named in the bill, but it will provide for the promotion of a Commodore who has won honor for the United States navy.

CONDENSED WAR NEWS

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, May 7.—A second dispatch from Commodore Dewey announces that he has taken the fortifications and effected a landing at Cavite. He had 256 wounded Spaniards as prisoners. The town of Manila could be taken at any time. He said he was not in serious need of anything at present.

LEO MISREPRESENTED.

ROME, May 7.—There is no truth in the statement that the Pope has advised the Queen Regent to mediate.

MADRID EXCITED.

MADRID, May 7.—Much excitement prevails here. A serious riot is anticipated.

MARTIAL LAW.

MADRID, May 7.—Martial law has been proclaimed at Ciudad Rel, not far from here, owing to the further rioting.

DUTIES REMOVED.

MADRID, May 7.—A decree has been gazetted allowing the free entry of cereals, etc., into Spain.

CAMPOS FOR DICTATOR.

HENDEA, NEAR THE SPANISH FRONTIER, May 7.—Madrid advices say a military dictatorship, headed by Marshal Campos, is probable as the last chance to save the dynasty.

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NOTICE—Window and house cleaning, carpet laying, whitewashing, office cleaning; send postal. Address 806 Center st.

LOST—Baby's short dress valued as a keepsake. Return to R. W. Edwards, 963 Broadway; reward.

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Enquire 610 Fourteenth st.

REPORT CONFIRMED.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, May 7.—The State Department today received the following dispatch dated New York, noon:

"Secretary of State, Washington, D. C.—Have cable from Hong Kong saying 'Spanish fleet entirely destroyed. Manila in hands of Americans. The latest news all is quiet.'

"As we have a line of steamers running between Manila and Hong Kong, it is possible that this news may be of interest to you. We believe it to be thoroughly reliable.

Signed,

"JARINA, MATHESON & CO."

CANARIES MAY BE ATTACKED.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, May 7.—"The possibility of an attack by an American fleet upon the Canary Islands has caused an uneasy feeling in Liverpool, where extensive interests in the Canaries are held," says the London correspondent of the World.

"The Liverpool correspondent of the Daily Cronicle telegraphs: 'I have ascertained that the possibility of such an attack is by no means discounted by well informed persons. Indeed, it is looked upon rather as a probability than otherwise.

"'I find also that Spain will not leave the Canaries unprotected. There is an enormous quantity of coal there—larger than at any time in years past.

"'The military authorities are taking possession of buildings belonging to British firms, and when asked for payment neither pay nor give a "thank you.'

"'In view of possible early complications, it is advisable to state that, although the majority of the most important places on the Canaries are held by British capital, they virtually are Spanish because the Spanish government insists upon all land and business being registered under a Spanish name. So, to all intents and purposes, a British enterprise in the Canaries is Spanish.

"'The Spanish government is making the most desperte effort to raise revenue, how and whatever it can do so. The government has sold by auction a monopoly of gunpowder, arms and ammunition to a certain syndicate at a fabulous sum. Another syndicate has purchased a monopoly of paints, oils, etc. In a like manner a tax has been levied upon all the silver mines.

"'It is generally believed in well-informed circles that the Spanish government has specific designs on the Spanish copper mines, the most important of which are at Tharsus and Rio Tintos, worked in the main by foreign capital and which have hitherto entirely escaped.'"

SUEZ CANAL OPEN TO BELLIGERENTS.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, May 7.—A special to the Herald from Washington says:

"'If Spain desires to send a fleet to the Philippines to attack Commodore Dewey's forces, she is at perfect liberty to send it through the Suez canal,' was the statement made by a high official of the State Department.

"'Of course,' he continued, 'the serious question of a coal supply would greatly harass her, but if the American vessels can find dealers willing to take the risk of violating the neutrality laws of the nation in which their coal piles are located they will probably be willing to do the same thing for the Spaniards, provided the latter pay the necessary cash.

"'I doubt very much if this Government would direct Commoder Dewey's forces to leave Manila and proceed to the Mediterranean for the purpose of harassing Spanish commerce in that sea and of attacking Spanish ports which lie upon it, but it would be possible for American men-of-war to reach the Mediterranean through the Suez canal if they were ordered to do so.

"'There is a great deal of popular ignorance on this point. As a matter of fact, the Suez canal is open to belligerents.

"'The principle of the neutralization of the Suez canal was applied by the convention of October 29, 1888, which was signed by the six great powers, by Turkey, Spain and The Netherlands. Strictly speaking, their action does not bind the powers that were not parties to the convention, but as none is of any importance except the United States, and all have distinctly acquiesced in what was done, the practical result is much the same as if the whole body of civilized nations had formally expressed their adhesion to it.

"'The convention declares that the canal is to be open in time of war, as well as in time of peace, to all ships, whether merchantmen or vessels of war, whether belligerent or neutral, but no acts of hostility are to be committed in the canal itself or in the sea to a distance of three miles from either end of it.

"'The entrances are not to be blockaded. The stay of belligerent vessels of war or their prizes within the ports at either end is not to exceed twenty-four hours, and belligerents are not to embark troops or munitions of war within the canal or its ports.

"'By using the Suez canal, Spain's vessels will be compelled to go only 7,200 miles to reach Manila. The steaming radius of the Almirante Oquendo, Vizcaya, and Infanta Maria Teresa, is 9,700 miles, going at the rate of ten knots, and they, therefore, could go the entire distance without re-coaling. If necessary, they could take colliers along. None of Commodore Dewey's vessels has such a great steaming radius, and if they should be sent to the Mediterranean they would have to take colliers along and might be caught without coal in that sea.'

"None of the members of the War Board believe for an instant that Spain will attempt to re-take the Philippines, notwithstanding the Suez canal is open to her fleets. It was pointed out by an expert with whom I talked that the withdrawal of a sufficient force from the Atlantic to attempt the recapture of the Philippines would place not only Cuba and Porto Rico, but the Canaries and Spain itself at the mercy of the American warships on this coast.

"It was more probable, he said, that the United States would send ships from the Pacific through the Suez canal to the Mediterranean to attack Spain's coast than it was for the Madrid Government to order its ships to retake the Philippines, but either contingency he thought decidely remote."

SUNKEN FLEET.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, May 7.—As soon as the Navy Department had the complete list of the Spanish ships destroyed by Commodore Dewey, they turned to their data, showing the character of those ships destroyed, as it gave a full idea of the extent of the devastation caused by the American fleet. Taking the list as reported by Commodore Dewey, the ships destroyed are as follows:

THE REINA CRISTINA, cruiser, single screw, barque-rigged ship with one funnel, displacement 3,090 tons, length 280 feet, beam 43 feet, mean draught 15 feet, armament, nineteen six-inch and four-inch guns, two machine guns and five torpedo tubes; complement, 370 men.

CASTILLA, Built at Cadiz in 1887, single screw; bark-rigged; one funnel; cruiser; displacement, 3342 tons; length, 246 feet; armament, ten Krupp guns and four revolving torpedo tubes; complement, 300 men.

DON ANTONIO DE ULLOA, built at Caracas in 1887; iron cruiser; single screw; bark rigged; one funnel; displacement, 1170 tons; length, 210 feet; armament, eight Hontoria guns, one machine gun; two torpedo tubes; complement, 173 men.

ISLA DE CUBA, built at Elswick in 1896, steel cruiser; double-screw; two masted, with military tops; length, 185 feet; displacement, 1040 tons; armament, twelve guns, two torpedo tubes; complement, 164 men.

GENERAL LEZO, built in Cartagena in 1887; double screw; schooner-rigged; length, 158 feet; displacement, 525 tons; armament, three guns, three machine guns, and one torpedo tube; complement, 98 men.

MARQUES DEL DRO, built at Laseine in 1875; iron gunboat; double screw; schooner-rigged; displacement, 500 tons; armament, three guns, one machine gun; complement, 98 men.

THE EL CORREO, supposed to be the El Cano, that being the name given in the data of the Navy Department. She is an iron gunboat of 525 tons, schooner rigged, with three guns, three machine guns, and one torpedo tube; complement, 98 men.

VELASCO, iron cruiser; bark rigged; 210 feet long; 1139 tons displacement; armament, five guns, two machine guns; complement, 173 men.

ISLA DE MINDANO, transport; built in 1881; displacement, 1495 tons.

The naval books at the Department do not show a Spanish ship of the name of the Isle de Ulloa. The nearest to the name is Don Antonio de Ulloa. As the latter is in Dewey's list, it is the two names have been made out of one.

SPY CAPTURED IN HAVANA.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, May 7.—A dispatch to the World from Key West says:

"Charles H. Thralls, who has just escaped from Havana brings news that a man was arrested in Havana last Saturday at the Hotel Hasaje, supposed to be an American reporter. Inquiries at the hotel and at the British consulate failed to elicit any information as to who he was or what paper he represented.

"His room was searched, and dispatches were found open on the table which gave information about the work done in the fortifications and battery.

"He was to have been tried as a spy and is probably killed by this time."

HUNTING THE HATED GOMEZ.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

MADRID, May 7.—An official dispatch from Havana says:

"Since April 30th, the hostilities have been pursued against Gomez with the greatest activity and vigor. Several engagements have taken place. Thirty-two rebels have been killed and one Spanish officer and thirty-three soldiers have been wounded."

CALIFORNIA SHEEPMEN WARNED.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, May 7.—The Interior Department is having much difficulty with the sheep-men of California, who mistakenly believe that the regulations in regard to trespassing in Yosemite Park have been suspended. The department has made no such change in the regulations, which are similar to those in effect for several years, and all persons grazing sheep in the park will be vigorously prosecuted for trespassing.

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JOHN M. HEINOLD SECURES A DIVORCE.

Brings Grave Accusations Against His Wife.

She Has Long Since Deserted Home and Her Better Half.

The domestic infelicities and matrimonial woes of the Heinold family were today terminated by a decree from Judge Greene which granted a permanent divorce to the husband as well as the custody of the two minor children. This is the concluding act in a peculiar marital melodrama.

John M. Heinold is a man well known as the keeper of the old water front saloon which has held forth at the foot of Webster street for nearly twenty years. He is popular with a large number of men and does a very brisk business. His wife, Christine, is also well known, not only in this city, but in her mother land.

Fourteen years ago Heinold, who was then a capable young fellow, was attracted toward a dashing girl from Sweden, with blonde hair and bright blue eyes, and whose ancestry might be traced to the noblest veins in the kingdom. The girl was far away from home. She had forsaken kith, kin, and dower, and fled to this wonderful land that she had heard so much about. Unused to our customs, she soon offered her services as a domestic until she could become acquainted. Such was her position when Heinold commenced the courtship.

They married. Five children blessed their union in as many years, and all the future appeared radiant, but then came an evil day. As time sped on, the domestic relations became more and more strained; the wife became reckless and the husband angry. The children gradually fell from grace in the mother's eyes, and even their temporal wants were neglected. The mother sought other company; confiscated money given her for her children's clothes, and finally on December 17, 1897, she left home, declaring that she was tired of a married life and desired freedom.

The huband soon brought divorce and today the court granted his prayer to live apart from the woman whom he avers was faithless, cruel, and unfit for a mother's duties.

BASEBALL AT ELMHURST.

Two Rattling Games Scheduled by the Managers for Tomorrow.

There will be two first class games of baseball at Elmhurst tomorrow, between the Piedmont Parlors and the Alameda Alerts and the Elmhurst and Acme teams. The first game will be in the morning and the second in the afternoon.

The teams will line up as follows:

Piedmont Parlors	Position	Alerts
Ingersoll	Pitcher	Wickham
Bogard	Catcher	Hammond
Rollins	1st base	Schroeder
Stutt	2d base	Parlser
Denny	shortstop	Bird
Smith	3d base	Croll
Planer	right field	Russell
Raccus	center field	Shea
Peters	left field	Britt
Elmhurst	**Positions.**	**Acme**
H. Arlett	Catcher	Drake
Kleupfer	Pitcher	Freeman
D. Toffelmeir	1st base	Fey
Grigsby	2d base	Kane
S. Toffelmier	3d base	Quigley
G. Arlett	shortstop	Knowles
Jacobson	right field	Agnew
H. Kleupfer	center field	Hanifin
Brunges	left field	Lefevre

Cooper Is Discharged

S. A. Cooper, charged with grand larceny, was discharged from custody by Judge Clift this morning at the request of the District Attorney, as there was not sufficient evidence to warrant holding the man. Cooper is charged with stealing a race horse named Don Garia.

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Step by step the boys of the Fifth Infantry are nearing the final wave which will enable them to show their patriotism on the field of battle in defense of humanity and liberty.

Today the emergency men who signified their willingness to go to the war and risk their lives and fortunes with Company A of the regiment, are being sworn in for duty, and thus become members of that company of volunteers at the armory on Twelfth street.

As soon as the orders were received from the Adjutant-General of the State postal cards were sent to the men whose names appeared on the emergency list, requesting them to report to be sworn into the service. On this list there are fifty-four names, comprising residents in this city, other towns in Alameda county and even in San Francisco and Stockton.

The cards reached their destination only today, and for that reason only a few of the boys could be expected to respond immediately, as most of them were naturally away from their homes when the missives arrived.

Up to 2 o'clock this afternoon a dozen of the emergency men reported and were sworn in by Lieutenant Downie, who had been detailed to attend to the business by Captain Poulter. The oath obligated the men to support the constitution and laws of the United States, of the State of California and the officers engaged in enforcing those constitutions and laws. Lieutenant Downie was assisted in the work by Corporal MaGill, Musician Peterson and Private Ensign.

The average age of the emergency men is 28 years.

The names of the men who were sworn in today, together with their place of residence and age, are as follows:

Fred W. Permien, 1051 Market, 26 years; Wm. M. Rohrbacher, 19 years; Chas. J. Stephens, Jr., 1414 Thirteenth avenue, 23 years; Joe W. Scadden 2426 Telegraph avenue, 44 years; Leslie C. Green, 1559 Broadway, 19 years; Arthur Von Loesecke, 2124 Shattuck avenue, 37 years; Chas. D. McKenzie, Thirteenth and Broadway, 32 years; Samuel A. Willard, 25 years; E. Barbeau, Forty-ninth street and Telegraph avenue, 20 years; Thomas Sexton O'Hara, William S. Peck, 1822 Henry street, 34 years; T. E. Atherstone, Pleasanton, 27 years.

WINNERS OF PRIZES AT THE CAR MEN'S PICNIC.

Sports formed a feature of the picnic given by the employes of the Haywards and San Leandro electric road Thursday.

After the literary programme came the races, arranged by the chairman of the committee, H. B. Arlett, followed by the bowling contest, which resulted in a walkover by H. B. Arlett from C. Fawcett, who won second prize, followed by Assistant Superintendent G. H. Lucks, who came in a good third.

Following is the programme of races:

First race, for boys under 10 years—First prize, corker baseball, won by Joe Wilson; second prize bicycle pump, won by Eddie Garcia.

Second race, for girls under 10 years—First prize, one dozen handkerchiefs, won by Mamie Madera; second prize, silver thimble, won by Sophie Jorgusen.

Third race, motormon's race—First prize, $2.50 hat, won by Fred Peru; second prize, box King V cigars, won by W. Kruger.

Fourth race, conductors' race—First prize, $2.50 hat, won by C. Kleupfer; second prize, box of cigars, won by C. W. Triplett.

Fifth race, for married ladies—First prize, fifty pound sack of flour, won by Mrs. J. F. Lewis; second prize, bottle of cologne, won by Mrs. H. B. Arlett.

Sixth race, for employes—First prize, box of cigars, won by I. Toffelmier; second prize, alarm clock, won by B. Toffelmier.

Seventh race, young ladies—First prize, bottle of cologne, won by Mabel Carpenter; second prize, pair of side or back combs, won by Louisa Garcia.

Eighth race, young men—First prize, straw hat, won by C. Putnam; second prize, French briar pipe, won by George Jackson.

Ninth race, all employes—First prize, shaving set, won by C. Kleupfer; second prize, box of cigars, won by W. Paru.

MRS. MUNSON LOSES HER INHERITANCE

Judge Hall today handed down an adverse decree in the suit of Lizzie Munson against H. F. Munson, administrator of the estate of her husband who died Feburary 5, 1895.

The plaintiff alleged that Munson was appointed administrator and bonded by Fred Becker, Louis Shaffer, G. W. Garner, and Fred Kuhle. That at the final account of Munson there remained in his hands $1,897.04 which belonged to the plaintiff, but that up to date he has never handed over to her one cent more than $94.05. She therefore sought judgment from the administrator and bondsmen for $1,700.99.

LATE COURT NEWS.

The final account of John W. Tompkins, administrator of the estate of Clarke Tompkins, shows a total valuation of $1,500.

The Realty Syndicate has filed a demurrer to the complaint of G. de Pratte, a widow, who seeks to secure damages.

New Deputy

William Wahmuth has been appointed deputy constable of Alameda township.

PASSENGERS AND CREW LOST IN SHIPWRECK.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SYDNEY, N. W. S., May 7.—The British steamer Maitland, Captain Anderson, from Sydney for Newcasle, is believed to be ashore at Broken Bay. The crew and passengers, numbering sixty-eight souls, are believed to have been lost.

The Maitland belongs to the Newcastle and Hunter River Steamship Company limited, of Sydney. She was built at Dumbarton in 1870, is over 231 feet long, has 27 feet beam, is 19.50 feet deep and has 250 horse power.

POLICE PICKINGS.

The trial of A. Bercovich, for receiving stolen goods, was commenced in the Police Court this morning, but after the prosecution rested its case the defense asked for a continuance, which was granted by Judge Allen till May 10th.

The case of Kate Connelly, for obtaining $24 from Mrs. Mary Sullivan under false pretenses, was continued till May 9th.

J. T. Bell, who drew a pistol on Policeman Nick Williams, was granted till May 10th to plead to a charge of assault with a deadly weapon.

The charge of assault against Tom Ward was finally dismissed.

Annie McHenry pleaded not guilty to stealing $15 from Eugene Palmer. She will be tried Monday.

There being no complaint against John Bigelow, the boy accused of stealing an American flag from the Golden Rule Bazaar, the case was stricken from the calendar.

LICENSED TO MARRY.

Willis G. Rollins, New York	34
Blanche McClelland, San Francisco	21
John Ristren, Oakland	44
Christina Osten, Oakland	47
Ferdinand Rasshiel, San Francisco	42
Emilie Rombach, San Francisco	42
William J. Thorpe, San Francisco	28
Catherine Hansen, San Francisco	24
Charles H. Peebles, San Francisco	21
Annie L. Rullhamer, San Francisco	19

The Deaf Can Talk

Mrs. Irving C. Lewis and son Philip, after an absence of over a year in Chicago, where her son has been attending an oral school for the deaf, has returned home, accompanied by Master Philip's instructor, Miss Louise Morgan, who will make her home with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis at 1302 Franklin street.

It is Miss Morgan's intention to open an oral school for the deaf with the assistance of the Lewises. When Master Philip, who is 5 years of age, left Oakland, he was unable to make a distinct utterance, while now, under the skillful tutelage of Miss Morgan, he has become quite a chatterbox.

The Fire Record.

A fire alarm was turned in last night for a blaze at the Women's Co-operative Home, on Thirteenth street, between Clay and Washington streets. The fire was caused by the knocking down of a stove pipe. No damage was done.

Early this morning a small fire occurred in a house at Seventh and Clay streets. The damage there was also small.

A New Dress

Town Talk has made steady progress since its birth and this week the healthy child appears in a new dress, of type manufactured by the American Type Foundry Company. It is bright, clean and sweet as usual, and a feature of the number is a review of Wilbur Zeigler's new novel, by Kate Clark Brokn.

Misplaced Confidence.

A. D. Lyall, keeper of the Golf Club's house at Adams Point, has asked the police to locate a youth named Thomas Williams, whom Lyall sent for change with a $10 bill yesterday. The boy kept the bill and is still missing.

Arrested for Fraud.

John Monroe was arrested last night for attempting to defraud Mrs. Julia Due, who keeps a lodging house on Ninth street, out of a week's lodging.

Ellason, stationer and news dealer, 465 14th st. Eastern weeklies and periodicals.

Thibault and the Barnes.

E. F. Thibault (years an expert bicycle repairer) is in business for himself with the agency for the "Barnes" (the white flyer). It would be prudent for bicycle buyers to see his wheel; it would be a pleasant duty for his friends to call at his agency, 375 Twelfth street.

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Weather Forecast.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 7.—Weather forecast: Fair tonight and Sunday; fresh west winds.

SATURDAY.....MAY 7 1898.

Another gang of burglars seems to have struck town, so the old-time warning will not be out of place: keep your doors and windows locked when you go out.

Oakland's guards want to be "up and at them." No wonder that their patriotic fever has broken out in little rebellious patches now that they realize they have been sidetracked.

The unfortunate individual who has been sent to the asylum for wandering around the streets and imagining that he was in heaven, is to a certain extent excusable. He came here from Los Angeles.

Fabiola Day is working up well. With the experience of the past three years to guide us, we ought to succeed in making it the most brilliant out-of-door social event held in the State this season. It will shine all the more brightly too by reason of the fact that there is a large, dark spot marking the annual fiesta that our rival city, Los Angeles, used to indulge in.

There won't be much of the earth left unfenced by the time the Realty Syndicate gets through with its operations. Slowly but surely it is absorbing everything of value on this side of the bay, the obtaining of the Emery tract being among its latest acquisitions. Its members certainly must have the most implicit faith in Oakland's future.

Our Alameda County Baseball League should be a success if it is managed properly and kept free from those wranglings that as a rule disturb the even balance of this sort of combination. There is plenty of good material here for such a league and furthermore there are a number of live interior towns in our county where the games can be held with financial advantage.

The Regents of the University of Pennsylvania, after long consideration have decided not to adopt the suggested plan of co-education. Just what particular arguments were advanced against it are not at hand, but it is certain that as far as the experiment has been tried out here it has been attended with great success, and there seems no reason why such should not also be the case in other communities.

Sacramento has got away with the first of the State conventions, the Populists having decided to meet there July 11th. San Francisco didn't make a bid for the honor, as they knew it was useless owing to the fact that the Pops like to meet in a farming section. It gives them a better opportunity to drive in with their own horses and wagons instead of contributing to the already well-filled wallets of their natural enemies, the railroad bond-holders.

DANGEROUS WORK AHEAD.

It is not going to be all a picnic for the National Guardsmen who go to Manila as part of the army of occupation, for an investigation of the conditions there shows that they will have a more dreaded foe than the Spanish to encounter for the place is said to be very unhealthy. Despite the fact that the islands are all tempered with the ocean breezes, the interior, especially around Manila, is said to be such a hot-bed for fever and malaria of every description that but few white people can withstand the climate.

As far as that is concerned, though, practically the same conditions prevail in Cuba. The rainy season is about to set in and this means a stretch of villainous weather the effects of which can be imagined from the fact that of the 100,000 Spanish troops there, over 30,000 are in the hospital or on the sick list. We don't want to have our brave American soldiers dying off in that fashion, so while the plans of invasion are being formulated, it is to be hoped that they will figure on getting our troops in and out again as soon as possible. There is little occasion for delay there anyhow, for the Spanish army, weakened by disease and privation, will be no match for our well-equipped forces and after the island is once in our possession, the insurgents can attend to all the military details required there, barring, of course, the regiments retained as representative of American authority.

THE PARK COMMISSION.

In the selection of Adolph Spreckels as Park Commissioner Governor Budd has once more made a choice that will meet with the public approval. Apart from his wide personal popularity, Mr. Spreckels is an admirable man for the place, for he is a San Franciscan to the backbone and one of the most enthusiastic admirers of the metropolis. The park, too, has long been a hobby with him, and there is no doubt that he will devote much of energy to the carrying on of the good work that has been so well inaugurated there.

For the time being, Mr. Spreckels' associates on the Board will be Joseph Austin and Irving M. Scott, but as the terms of both these gentlemen have expired the Governor may make changes in the personnel of the Commission, despite the fact that it is understood that they are both desirous of succeeding themselves. An indication, too, that it is very probable that others will be appointed in their places is to be found in a statement made by the Governor a few months ago when discussing the Park Commissionerships. He said, then, that although the terms of all three members of the Board expired in May, he did not intend to fill their places all in that one month, as his policy was to let new members serve with old ones so that they could become accustomed to the details of the work. If, therefore, he intended to re-appoint Scott and Austin, the argument then advanced by him would not apply and he could just as well have announced their appointments at the same time he did that of Mr. Spreckels, whereas instead of doing so he said yesterday that he would not announce his other selections for a couple of months more. A logical conclusion, therefore, is that they will both go and rumor has it that Editor Bunker of the San Francisco Report will get one of the vacancies.

Though the position of Park Commissioner is a purely honorary one, it is important in that the three members of the Board control the entire patronage of the park. That this is considerable can be gleaned from the fact that 235 employees are on the pay roll, the salaries ranging from $350 a month for the superintendent to $2 a day for ordinary laborers. The mounted park police also come under their control, and there is generally a lively scramble for the places, as they pay $80 a month with practically nothing to do in return.

The fact that if Commodore Dewey had been a year older he would have been on the retired list and hence would not have had an opportunity to make his brilliant dash into Manila harbor, brings to mind the question of whether 62 is not too early an age to compulsorily retire a good man from the public service. While it is true that a man at that age is at an advanced period of his career, still, many are practically in their prime during the sextennial decade. It would be a different proposition if active or arduous labors were required, but in point of fact the commander of a ship has no more, if as much strain on his vigor than a statesman, and if every diplomat were to be retired at 62, the country would lose the services of some of its best men just at the time they were of most use.

Spanish bonds will soon not be worth the paper they are written on. They are dropping from one to five points a day, and have already reached the 30 notch with no buyers. On the other hand, American securities are as strong if not stronger than ever, which is the way it ought to be, for our commercial interests will be advanced rather than impeded by the present hostilities. With the Philippines in our possession, we certainly will have more than an offset for anything we may have lost in other directions.

The opening of the Masonic Festival at the Mechanics Pavilion on Monday next should be the occasion of a big outpouring from this side of the bay. Although the affair is one that applies to Masons and their friends generally it is of particular interest to us because the institution to be benefited is located in this county. There is no question whatever that the fete will be a brilliant success from first to last, but the point is that we should show how thoroughly we appreciate it.

The Nicaragua Canal bill is before the Senate again and this time it will be pressed more vigorously than ever on the ground that it is, in a sense, a war measure. Opinion in favor of the canal has grown so much of late that the indications are better than at any time before for its construction. The argument in its favor on a war proposition is good enough, but that after all is nothing as compared with its desirability from a commercial standpoint.

Now that cable communication with Dewey is cut off, we can get a small idea of how hard the world would now find it to get along without the telegraph wire. Of course, when nothing was known about it, we managed without it somehow, but of late years it has become almost a second nature, and we don't realize how essential it is to the requirements of modern life until it is taken away.

The Spanish of Cuba are said to be posting notices all over the country calling on the rebels to aid them in routing the Americans, who they term "the common enemy." They can't pull wool over the natives' eyes in that way, though—everyone knows over there the exact reason why our warships are blockading Havana harbor.

Another official entrusted with the custody of public funds has gone wrong, the treasurer of San Diego county having levanted with about $2,000. It seems almost impossible to tie up the people's money in such a way that rogues can't take advantage of it.

Burnham Convalescent.

Walter Burnham, the son of the late O. H. Burnham, who shot himself Thursday morning, was so much improved today that he left the hospital and went home unattended.

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Years ago there was a hotel at Piedmont. Adjacent to the hostelry was a series of springs of mineral water, comprising sulphur of varying degrees of strength, iron and magnesia. These springs bubbled in muddy pools at the bottom of deep ravines. To reach them one had to risk his neck.

One night, the hotel went down in ashes, and the springs, at the same time, began to live in the memory of those only who love the past.

With the new Oakland there has been a revival of the pleasures of a past generation, and a renewal of the media which once figured in those diversions, and, incidentally, contributed to the health and well-being of no small portion of the community.

At Piedmont, on an eminence from which, through a vista of romantic beauty may be viewed the distant main, the original hotel has been replaced by a chaste, modern and artistic club house, while, within easy reach of the same acclivity, though embowered in a greenwood of extraordinary variety and attractiveness, the same vigor-inspiring, health-giving springs are again brought within reach of the people.

In course of time another hotel will proudly rear its pediments beneath the foliage, and there will then be little need for people to go from their homes to regain the physical and mental qualities which they may have lost.

A BIG UNDERTAKING.

To effect these changes, within a few years, has been a herculean task. To acomplish it in the discreet silence in which men of method carry out well-matured plans, is a tribute to the modest worth of the projectors, who disdained forcing upon the people an enterprise which had not attained to its intended completeness.

In a general way, that is the reformation which has been accomplished in the section mentioned by a number of public-minded, clear-headed men of means in this community, known as The Realty Syndicate, which controls all save a few of the street car lines of this city and which has established a triple link between the cities of Berkeley, Alameda and Oakland and the innumerable intermediate hamlets which are destined to be, one day, enumerated in what is yet to be known as the still greater Oakland.

OTHER FEATURES.

But the Realty Syndicate has done more. The club house and springs, after all are little more than side issues. They are gems, if you will, but they have a setting which nature and art have produced and which makes this park unique, not alone among the breathing spaces of this section, but indeed throughout the country. Nature laid the foundation; art did the rest. It was not the art, either, at which the student of nature rebels. It was simply the art which laid bare the natural beauty treasure recesses of the sleepy canyon walls, the rugged grandeur of crags the face of which had been only partially disclosed, presumably for ages, and the utilization of granite stream beds and channels, the imposing beauty of which would otherwise never have conduced to the pleasure of the beholder.

FALLING WATERS.

From an altitude of several hundred feet, high up the mountain side, a stream of crystalline water, emerging from the acclivity beyond, falls into the canyon. For years and years its tide had flowed unnoticed. It sang alone in the stillness and the dark. It made passing acquaintance with the pebbles. It rose over jagged rocks, swirled around sharp pyramidal obstructions, dropped with a musical cadence into basins which it had itself carved out of the everlasting rock, and then hurried away on its eventual destination, the deep sounding sea.

CONTROLLING THE STREAM.

Today, a massive reservoir, with a capacity of 20,000 gallons, marks the initiative of the stream as it bursts from the hill-side. There is a flood-gate at one extremity of the reservoir, and through this, at will, the liquid from the mountain may be allowed to flow. When first freed from its imprisonment, the water drops with a resonance into a basin with a floor of hard rock, laid less regularly than it would have been by nature, and yet not with that degree of mechanical skill to purposely show that it is the work of human hands. After a short glide there is a dam, through the open lips of which, the limpid waters roll, going over the edge in a bright, thin sheet, with the sheen of silver reflecting the sun light.

It is now in a more rugged pool, there is more life in the movement, and again it reaches another dam of concrete, the labial surface of which enables the water to pass still further on in its downward course.

On either side of the headway, on the lateral piers, there is a balustrade in which flowering plants and emerald leafage have been disposed giving to the falling water an iridescent appearance.

And so the stream advances, until it has passed over ten dams, forged its way through a series of crags and over a succession of cascades and bidden adieu to these pleasure grounds far adown in the leafy twilight.

A more delightful view cannot be imagined than that of this little, ambitious stream, noisily tumbling, tossing, rushing and gurgling over the rocky bed of the cascade, which is of natural formation and extends a distance of nearly one hundred feet. Scarcely less imposing is the passage of the water, guarded on either side by the rugged and ebon crags. A view of both these scenes may be had from bridges thrown at angles over the stream so as to enable a most perfect prospect to be enjoyed of every salient feature. These bridges are of rustic design and construction and the material employed in their erection has been taken from the surrounding grounds. They are all strong and artistic and in singular harmony with the surroundings.

Somewhat down from the reservoir is a most liberal spring of sweet water which copiously contributes to the flow of the stream. It was from this well that, in other days, the water supply of the old Piedmont hotel was obtained.

THE GROTTO.

Still further down the stream are encountered the mineral springs above referred to. These have now been housed in, sealed up so that they may not be contaminated, and they are now all made tributary to the grotto, which is situated near the southern extremity of the grounds. This grotto is of rock taken out of the stream bed, circular in shape, with a vestibule and an inner court, surmounted by a dome fashioned after that of St. Paul's Cathedral, from the apex of which are dependent a cluster of red incandescent lights. There are apertures in the walls through which the light of day will also be admitted. In the center of the floor is an urn through which each of the mineral waters before referred to come, at the will of the visitor through a faucet, and a basin which carries off the superfluous mateial. The ceiling of this grotto is decorated in heavy rustic work, the arches of which are symmetrically trained and glisten with crystalline formations of borax and other brilliant illuminants.

WHENCE MUSIC COMES.

Not far removed from the grotto is the band stand. This is really at the bottom of the glen. Behind it is an amphitheater of gradually receding hills. In front of it is a coliseum made by nature. A finer theater, with more consoling acoustic properties, could not have been devised. The music will ascend: be borne through super-impending foliage and thence wafted up and down the canyon like the harmonies of Acadia. On both these faces of the mountain there are trails and walks and drives formed after the style of shelves against the solid surface, the rigidity of outline of which is preserved by curbs of wood so placed as not to be removed.

FOREST PATHWAYS.

These pathways, tracks and drives may be a little infraction on the style of worn-out trails in a forest, which are made more by necessity than as a source of pleasure, but this infraction will not detract from the beauty of the landscape. They run in all directions and at easy grades so that it is possible for people to ascend or descend the inclines, not only with ease, but also with pleasure.

Another feature, without which these hill sides would be badly supplied, indeed is that of seating accommodation. This has been admirably supplied by the scattering in every direction of 3,000 settees made of cones of eucalyptus. They throng the walks near the music stand, grace the side of the streamlet, cluster about trees and in some places muster in such force as to be intended for the use of picnic parties. These will afford all the needed opportunity to rest, to listen to the music, to enjoy a tete-a-tete and to drink in, in silence, the marvelous attractiveness of the scene. These are supplemented by seats set in pockets, made by the children of Mrs. Richardson's kindergarten.

FRESH WATER.

It is not the intention of the management to compel its patrons to drink only sulphur water. Those who do not desire to take the water which is known to have medicinal properties may slake their thirst in wells of the purest and coldest and wholesomest of water from the hills to be had in this region.

One year ago the heights which align this canyon were filled with underbrush, eucalyptus, oak, pine, cedar, cypress and a dozen other varieties of tree, which obscured the light of heaven and made the glen almost a cave of gloom. Today, the surplus underbrush, the tangled interlacing of conflicting families of trees have disappeared and, in their stead, there is not a forest primeval, but one nicely adjusted to the amusement of the patrons. The sunlight now filters through the trees and there is both light and warmth in coplous quantities, disclosing vistas of surpassing attractiveness.

At the southern extremity of the grounds, is a picnic area and within that area, while partaking of lunches, picnic parties must remain.

THE CLUB HOUSE.

Near the main entrance is the club house, where all kinds of edibles and non-intoxicating liquors may be procured. This place is well appointed, having a fine kitchen, a pantry, a large dining-room, with capacious verandas. Tables will be laid in the dining-room and verandas and, by means of an elecric bell at each table, patrons may, in an instant, demand immediate attention. This place will be in charge of the Hallahans, the well-known caterers, and this fact is a guarantee that it will be one of the great attractions of the place.

FLOWERS BLOOM.

There are, in various places, most artistically laid out, parterres which, even now, are aflower in a most promising manner. All these flowers are raised in the conservatory, because the management has become satisfied that it is cheaper to raise flowers than to buy them. In this wonderful selection there are more than 250 varieties of geranium; of the Canna, there are the new Madame Sallier, the Ehmann, which grow to a height of eight or nine feet, new Orchid blooming Canna, and Austria and Italia. There are three of the finest types of color in Alphonse Bouvier, Florence Vaughn and Mme. Crozy.

Here is also a gigantic tobacco plant which grows to a height of twenty feet.

In climbing plants, there is also an excellent variety among them being bigonia venestra, which blooms freely in San Diego and there is no reason why it should not blossom here. This has never been seen here before, save in hot houses. There is also the new climbing nasturtium, the Musa ensete, Gloria Ponda or trumpet lily, the golden-leaf elder, which, in a short time, will have the absolute appearance of pure gold.

Of roses, there is well nigh every kind, but they are generally of the style which take the prizes in the English exhibitions.

The pelargoniums are the finest in the world. The fan palms are in indefinite variety and there are also the date, the phoenix reclinata, the finest of all. The dates are not known here well, but in San Diego they are more widely known.

Eucalyptus does not stand in favor here, but there are samples in the conservatory, which give a pink flower, and another, the leaves of which, when crushed, give forth a rare, delicate fragrance, not less dainty than the first fresh aroma of the bearing grapevine.

VIOLETS.

In Princess of Wales violets, too, there will be a great abundance and, as is generally known, the violets of this State have to give way to the supremacy of their foreign sister.

Among the geraniums, the variety of which is referred to above, the Deul de Mirabel, is easily first in richness of color and must be seen to be appreciated.

Of annuals, the supply of petunias, stock, pansies, marigolds and others is legion.

In some of the pools along the stream it is the intention to plant water lilies, which will have a pretty effect, while the presence of gold fish and trout in adjoining sections, will give them an additional appearance of life and beauty.

This evening the park will be open for the first time. The price of admission will be ten cents. The proceeds will be given to the Ladies' Relief Society.

At night the place will be illuminated by electricity.

Tomorrow, there will be a sacred concert in the afternoon, the programme for which will be selected by Alfred Wilkie.

The park will not be opened Sunday nights.

There will be no charge for the admission of carriages to the park, the occupants, alone, paying the small fee above required. Children will be charged five cents.

The park may be easily reached by the Piedmont cars. It is a tribute to the enterprise of The Realty Syndicate, and is an ideal place in which people of refinement and moderate means may pass days and nights of unalloyed pleasure.

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WILL WORK FOR A SOLID DELEGATION.

Young Men's Republican League Adopts Some Strong Resolutions.

The Young Men's Republican League met last night and decided to work in the future with only one object in view, the securing of the Gubernatorial nomination for an Alameda county man. This idea was embodied in the following resolutions, which were unanimously adopted:

"Whereas, The Republicans of Alameda county by their splendid majority at the last national election made it possible to carry this State for William McKinley, the honored President of our nation; and

"Whereas, It was only by strong unity of purpose and harmony of action that this result was accomplished, thereby making Alameda county the banner Republican county of California; and

"Whereas, It is evident that the Republicans of the other counties of this State will concede the first honors of office to Alameda county, in recognition of the important services which this county seeks with united energy for such reward; now therefore

"Be it Resolved, That the Young Men's Republican League of Alameda county heartily favors, indorses and advocates sending a solid delegation to the State Convention from Alameda county to secure to it the naming of the next Republican nominee for Governor of California; and furthermore

"Be it Resolved, That this league hereby declares its chief object in the forthcoming Gubernatorial campaign to be the securing of that high and distinguished honor for Alameda county."

At the present time no particular candidate will be endorsed.

A. H. Vollmer of Berkeley, elected second vice president, sent in his resignation to the executive committee, saying that he was unable to attend to his duties by virtue of an increased pressure of business.

J. W. Stetson moved that the club refuse to accept the resignation, as Mr. Vollmer was a representative Berkeleyan and that it was only right and just that Berkeley should be represented among the officers. An effort will be made to have Mr. Vollmer withdraw his resignation.

It was reported that the badges would be ready for use in another two weeks and the committee in charge was ordered to go ahead and complete the purchase. An adjournment was taken till Friday evening, the 20th inst.

It was understood before adjournment that hereafter a programme of speakers would be arranged.

To Break Up a Cold

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LOS ANGELES MEN ARRIVE AT THE MOLE.

Escorted by the Naval Battalion Across the Bay.

Local Companies Have no Hope of an Early Call.

COMPANY A MEETS TODAY.

The Government Not Willing to Take All That California Offers.

The armory on Twelfth street was almost deserted this morning, and armorer Ellis had the place pretty much to himself. This afternoon an important meeting of Company A is being held for the purpose of recruiting the company to the full force ordered by a recent command from Colonel Fairbanks.

This morning the Seventh Regiment arrived from Los Angeles. The three trains made remarkable runs and arrived at the mole about an hour before they were expected. The journey from the southern capital was a series of ovations throughout wherever the train stopped, ladies, citizens and school-children were present to bombard them with flowers, to give them refreshments and to cheer the boys with waving flags and martial airs.

The regiment consists of 1090 men and is composed of the bravery and sinew of Los Angeles.

The Seventh was met at the mole by the Naval Battalion under command of Captain Louis Turner, and was escorted to the special ferry boat which was in the slip waiting for the regiment.

Drawn up at the ferry depot across the bay was Governor Budd and staff, Major-General Dickinison and staff, Brigadier-General Warfield and staff, the Signal Corps and Troop A of the cavalry. The reception on the part of the military was purely formal, but on the part of the immense crowd it was one long, loud and prolonged cheer. Thousands of small flags were waved in air or worn on the breasts of the crowd, and in accordance with a special request, the Stars and Stripes floated from every masthead in the big city.

A platoon of police led the procession up Market street, which was lined with cheering citizens for its entire length. The march to the Presidio was certainly as auspicious as the soldiers could desire.

The First Regiment of California Volunteers also went into camp to-day at the Presidio, and the reservation is as lively as before the United States troops marched away to New Orleans.

The Governor has given orders for the formation of the two battalions of infantry. Following the wishes of President McKinley, he had tried to keep organizations intact as much as possible. For this reason he has ordered seven companies of the eight which make up the Sixth Regiment to report to Captain Carrington, United States Army, for mustering into the volunteer service. There being two companies of the Sixth in Fresno, and desiring to give all sections of the State representation, the Governor chose but one. Company E of Sacramento, of the Second Regiment, will make up the battalion. Company E will rendezvous at Stockton on Saturday night and leave by boat for San Francisco.

Governor Budd is firm in the belief that Manila is the destination of the California volunteers. "All signs point in that direction," he said last night. "The speedy mustering of our troops under the orders of the Government, the application by the War Department for the State surgical field appliances and a dozen other indications of an intention to move our men to some place of contemplated action, force me to believe that the Philippines will see the California regiments before long. I also look for another call or at least an increase of the present quota of troops from this State. We have applied to have the entire National Guard called out, and have received no definite answer to our request. This itself looks favorable for the summoning of more troops, as, if the application was denied we would have been so informed."

A puzzling problem has arisen among the men who have become volunteers. They are wondering what will become of their standing as guardsmen when the war is over. It is the intention of the Governor to put retired National Guard captains, in charge immediately of the remnants of companies left in the First Regiment. His object is to have this regiment recruited as soon as possible to its full strength as a State organization, from which men may, if needed, be supplied to re-enforce the regiment of volunteers. With these new companies, each based on about twenty rejected or married men left behind, the armories will be occupied to the exclusion of the original guardsmen who went out as volunteers. What will the old guardsmen do when they come back from service is a question that time must answer.

Colonel George W. Fox of the California Rangers, the company that will be fitted out by San Francisco capitalists, is receiving many applications from Alameda county. He has detailed Lieutenant P. F. Luttrell to open a recruiting station at the Eagle drug store, 1552 Seventh street, and it will be open from 8:30 A. M. to 9 P. M.

A flag is to be presented to the company by the city of Oakland. The company will not muster in unless for active duty.

Ed Griffiths of the Reliance Club has offered his services to the Governor and is now at the Presidio on active duty.

Griggs. The Tempest. Tuesday, 25c.

SWEET SINGING IN "TRILBY."

Mrs. Olcese's Triumph in Her Rendition of Ben Bolt.

The final performance of "Trilby" at the Macdonough was given last night before a large and enthusiastic audience. The auditors had been increasing in numbers and appreciation since the opening night and if the engagement had continued tonight, it would have attracted a full house, because the excellence of the work of all of the members of the company was being strongly impressed on the patrons. The performance was an excellent one, every character seeming to have been assigned to a performer who was capable of interpreting it in an intelligent manner.

One of the features of the play is to have the tender love song, Ben Bolt" sung outside the scenes, and the selection is popularly supposed to be sung by "Trilby" herself. Such, however, is not the case, because it is a difficult task to find an actress who can impersonate the titular role and, be at the same time, a good vocalist. A singer is, therefore, specially engaged and in this instance the selection fell on Mrs. Olcese. A more discriminating choice could not have been made. The touching notes of the famous ballad rolled out roundly and mellifluously and the air was given a sympathetic treatment which touched every heart. Mrs. Olcese's effort was most warmly applauded.

The part of Gecko, which was played by Frank Clayton, was one of the strong characterizations of the play.

WOMEN'S IMPROVEMENT CLUB CHANGES NAMES.

The Woman's Improvement Club has decided to change its name to the Oakland Civic Club. A meeting was held yesterday and the change discussed. The ladies intend to work for municipal improvements and will co-operate with the tunnel committee to aid in raising funds to build the road into Contra Costa county. The secretary was instructed to communicate with Board of Trade Tunnel Committee, assuring those organizations of the co-operation of the club.

During the afternoon a Miss Aitken, who is said to be very familiar with the way in which the Whittier Reform School is conducted, addressed the club in defense of the management of the school.

STUDENTS GIVEN A CHANCE TO BATTLE.

Lieutenant S. A. Cloman wants the University students given an opportunity to fight against Spain. He has issued the following notice:

"U. S. Recruiting Department, corner Page and Gough streets, San Francisco Cal., May 5, 1898. Owing to the fact that about one-sixth of the applicants for enlistment in the California Volunteers are being rejected, there will be vacancies in some of the companies which may be filled by Berkeley students who wish to be enlisted in the National Guard regiments. If those so desiring will leave their names with me here, I will try to place them to the best advantage, and if possible start them off as non-commissioned officers. "S. A. CLOMAN,

"First Lieutenant Fifteenth Infantry."

GRIFFITH WILL GO TO THE FRONT.

Among the volunteers mustered into the service of the United States with the First Regiment in San Francisco yesterday was Charles R. Griffith of this city. He enlisted with a number of other students from the College of Physicians and Surgeons in San Francisco which he has been attending for the past two years and will be attached to the hospital corps of the First Regiment.

Mr. Griffith is one of the best known and most popular young men of this city; is a prominent member of the Reliance Club where he has achieved much success as an athlete and will leave a host of friends in Oakland and San Francisco to wish him a successful career and safe return.

STARR KING FRATERNITY HOLDS AN ELECTION.

The Starr King Fraternity held its annual election last night at the First Unitarian Church. Mrs. R. P. Gleason was re-elected president. The other officers were as follows: Vice-president, F. H. Clark; second vice-president, C. F. Leet; secretary, George S. Evans; treasurer, Miss Rachel E. Pope; directors—Frank A. Fletcher, Henry Goodcell, Miss Bertha Shafter, Miss Carrie A. Whelan.

Miss Meta Curtis as chairman of the literary committee made a report, and Mrs. Gleason made a verbal report of the Fraternity's work during the past year.

Rev. E. F. Goff of Riverside.

The people of the Market street Congregational Church will tomorrow morning and evening have the privilege of listening to Rev. E. F. Goff, the pastor of the Congregational Church of Riverside. Mr. Goff has been a resident of California only about two years, having come to that place from Aurora, Illinois. He will spend a few days in Oakland, and is stopping with Rev. Dr. Chapman at 820 Fourteenth street. He is a preacher of marked ability and ripe scholarship and has had large experience in church work.

Will Not Go North.

The U. C. track team will not go to Portland to meet the Multnomah Athletic Club's team.

The manager of the Portland club has wired the U. C. athletes that most of his men have enlisted.

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A Patriotic League of American Women.

Unfriendly Attitude of the French to Be Resented.

SYMPATHY OF MRS. M'KINLEY.

The Principal Imports From France Are Articles of Feminine Luxury.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, May 7.—A special to the World from Washington says:

"One of the most enthusiastic promoters of the American Women's Patriotic League, whose members are to pledge themselves to refrain from buying goods imported from France in retaliation for the attitude of the French people toward America in the present crisis—is the wife of Senator Chandler of New Hampshire.

"'American women,' said Mrs. Chandler, 'have come to the conclusion that France must be taught a lesson. She has vociferously proclaimed friendship and admiration for her sister republic, but at a time when her friendship would mean somethinfl to us she is holding off and avowing her friendship would mean something to us she while a loss will come to her investments in Spain through this war, there may be a great loss impending from the loss of American trade and commerce. When I sign the pledge I shall carry it out.'

"Mrs. Frye of Maine is equally determined. She said: 'I am perfectly willing to give my pledge to buy nothing French. I would even be in favor of a pledge to buy nothing except home manufacture.'

"Mrs. Elkins, her sister, Miss Grace Davis, daughter of ex-Senator Davis of West Virginia, also earnestly favors it. Mrs. Elkins said: 'I will most willingly deny myself such indulgences as French importations so long as the necessities of the case may require.'

"'When I sign the declaration against the use of all French importations,' said Miss Davis, 'I shall faithfully carry it out.'

"Mrs. Dickins, wife of Commodore Dickins of the Bureau of Navigation, says: 'I am a firm advocate of striking back when hit. There should be no bravado about this league. Let every woman who signs the compact resolve to carry it out with whole-heartedness and with all the influence she can command.'

"Mr. William Tisdell, a prominent society leader of Washington, who has been selected as one of the organizers of the league, said: 'I proclaim France the enemy of America and the ally of Spain, and I will faithfully work to administer such a dose of retributive justice that the thrifty burghers that compose the French manufacturing circles will not be likely to forget it.'

"Mrs. Albert Clifford Barney, the artist, said: 'The pledge should be made active against future importations. If it is put into effect at once it will hurt our own merchants, who are carrying large stocks of French goods. Nevertheless, so far as possible, I will deny myself all indulgence in French importations.'

Mrs. Russell A. Alger, Mrs. Lyman A. Gage and Mrs. Justice McKenna have signified their intention to sign the pledge when it is formulated.

"Mrs. McKinley, while expressing herself as in full sympathy with the movement, feels obliged to refuse, for reasons connected with her high position, as France is still on friendly relations with the United States.

"Mrs. Hobart, wife of the Vice-President, and Mrs. Reed, wife of the Speaker, are in the same position.

"During the year 1897 the American people purchased $67,530,231 worth of goods from France. Of this sum $45,000,000 was for mere luxuries, almost entirely used by women."

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

The Wheelock Club met this week at the Kittredge home on Grove street and were most cordially and pleasantly entertained by the hostess of the day, Mrs. E. H. Kittredge.

Mrs. Sather and Mrs. F. M. Smith are to entertain their friends at luncheon next week at the new Piedmont Club House.

Miss May Cobgan will give a tug party next week.

Mrs. Horry Meek of San Lorenzo has issued invitations for a luncheon.

Miss Sarah Whitney, the Oakland girl, whose fine work in sculpture shows remarkable promise, has gone to Italy for a few weeks.

Clarence Kempff of this city is an officer on board the United States warship Oregon. Lieutenant Dunning, another Oaklander is on the Monadock.

Karl Howard and Horace Howard, the two sons of Mrs. Emma Shafter Howard have joined the army.

A. W. Baker Jr. and H. L. Cunningham of this city are guests at Highland Springs.

Mrs. R. W. Edwards, Mrs. A. F. Edwards, Mrs. Henry J. Rogers, and daughter Marion leave today for their country home, Inverness, Marin county.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Durnan, (nee Miss Mable Smith) sailed Wednesday morning on their wedding trip for Honolulu. After an absence of two months they will reside in Oakland.

M. S. Boat, a prominent merchant of Wells, Nevada, is here on a visit.

Mrs. Thomas Prother and Mrs. W. H. High left for Forest Meadows, Siskiyou county, Thursday evening, where they will spend the coming month.

Mrs. E. J. Smith and Miss Smith are guests at one of the leading hotels at Portland, Oregon.

The Reverend Dr. David McClure and Mrs. Gregory, his daughter, entertained the Oakland clergy and their wives at dinner, to meet Bishop Nichols and Mrs. Nichols, last Monday evening. It was a charming occasion.

Mrs. Julia Travis and Mrs. M. Edwards were the guests of honor at a luncheon given by Mrs. Jacob Hartman at her home in East Oakland on Tuesday last.

The Jolly Good Fellows Club will give its closing party at Pythian Hall, next Wednesday evening.

The Sunday school of the English Lutheran Church picnic today at Leona Heights.

Clarence C. Dimmick, son of Dr. and Mrs. M. F. Dimmick, is one of the Oakland boys who participated in the naval encounter with Commodore Dewey at Manila. Young Dimmick was born in San Francisco and is 28 years of age. He enlisted in the navy about a year ago and was stationed at Mare Island. He was assigned to duty on the Baltimore, which was sent to Honolulu and from there went to the Philippines.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Baumgartner and children have gone to Bartlett Springs.

STATE REPUBLICANS PREPARING PLANS.

Important Meeting at the Union League Last Night.

Alameda's Grand Work for the Party Is Generously Commended.

A meeting of the leading members of the California State League of Republican Clubs was held at the Union League Club in the Palace Hotel, San Francisco, last evening. Colonel Stone, National League representative, called the meeting to order and asked for nominations for chairman of the meeting. Senator Tirey L. Ford nominated Colonel Stone, and he was unanimously elected. On nomination Murray Laidlaw of Oakland was elected secretary.

Colonel Stone addressed the meeting, and stated that its purpose was to informally discuss the aims, objects and purposes, as well as ways and means for holding the annual convention of delegates to the State Convention of Republican Clubs, the call for which has already been made. Colonel Stone further said that the organization throughout the State in the interior was well in hand, but was not so through in San Francisco and Oakland. The call was not for a meeting of National Republican League Clubs, but for a convention of all Republican clubs in the State. That each club could elect one delegate at large and one for each twenty-five members on its club roll.

Senator Ford called upon Z. W. Dodge to give an explanation of the workings of the National Republican League, as he had been a delegate at the last National Convention held last year in Detroit, Mich.

Frank L. Coombs, the president of the National Republican League Club of the First Congregational District, spoke upon the condition of the clubs in his district. He stated that he had appointed county presidents and secretaries, and said that in consideration of the long distance from election times, he was well satisfied with the progress made in his district.

The chairman stated that it would be in order to nominate a committee to take charge of the coming convention to be held in San Francisco on May 31, 1898. It was moved and seconded that the chair appoint a committee of seven to take charge of the arrangements for the convention. This was carried.

Colonel Stone then stated that the Republican State Central Committee would work in harmony with this convention.

T. C. Pedlar then asked for and moved that a committee be appointed, one from each club represented, with power to add from other clubs not represented. This was amended to read that the chairman appoint upon the general committee the Presidents of each Republican club in San Francisco. This was carried. It was understood that this committee shall deem it its duty to interest the clubs in the coming convention, which will be held in San Francisco on May 31, 1898.

H. A. Powell, Presidential Elector of 1896, was called upon and spoke briefly upon the condition of affairs in Alameda county. Speaking of the good work done during the last campaign, Mr. Powell paid a high tribute to the efforts of the president, William R. Davis, and the secretary, Murray Laidlaw, of the National Republican League.

Frank A. Leach was called upon for a speech, and responded in a happy vein by relating an amusing anecdote.

Judge Dibble and other gentlemen then addressed the meeting.

W. N. Dimmick spoke upon Alameda county matters, and referred to the history of the National Republican League in that county, and the excellent and effective work done by it in the last Presidential campaign, and paid a high tribute to the officers of the league.

Another meeting of the executive committee of seven was called for next Wednesday, May 11, 1898, at the Union League.

Z. U. Dodge was delegated to act as secretary of the San Francisco interests.

All Alameda county clubs are requested to send the names of their presidents and secretaries with addresses, and also the number of delegates they are entitled to under the call, to Murray Laidlaw, secretary of the National League of Republican Clubs for the Third Congressional District, and secretary of the National Republican League of Alameda county, all communications to be addressed to Oakland.

Among the prominent Oaklanders present at the conference were noticed F. A. Leach, John E. Farnum, W. N. Dimmick, Murray Laidlaw, H. A. Powell, Mack Webber and others.

Professor Griggs to Lecture.

Professor Griggs of Stanford University will lecture at the First Unitarian Church Tuesday evening on Shakespeare's "Tempest," which he believes to be an expression of the great dramatist's own ultimate philosophy of life.

MISSIONARIES MURDERED IN WEST AFRICA.

Additional Details Are Received of the Butchery.

Miss Cain Takes Refuge in the Bush and is Still Missing.

MISS CHINCK ALSO A VICTIM.

They Were Sent Out by the United Brethren of Christ Association.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SIERRE LEON, West Coast of Africa, May 7.—Additional advices confirm the reports of the assassination of Miss Archer, Miss Hatfield and Miss Cain and add to the list of murdered missionaries the names of Miss "Kegg," possibly a mispronounciation of the name of Miss Chenck. Miss Cain fled into the bush and her fate is not known. All these missionaries were Americans who were sent out here by the United Brethren of Christ Association of Dayton, Ohio.

CHINA SQUARES UP WITH JAPAN.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

LONDON, May 7.—The representatives of China paid the representatives of Japan over £11,000,000 ($55,000,000) at the Bank of England at noon today, this being the balance of the China-Japan war indemnity.

The Japanese troops will forthwith commence evacuation of Wei-Hai-Wei. The date of British occupation of Wei-hai-Wei is not yet settled.

CIPHER DISPATCHES ARE PROHIBITED.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, May 7.—The Commercial Cable Company sent out the following notice this morning: The Italian administration announces that private messages in cipher and languages are prohibited."

IN THE COURTS TODAY

The Central Pacific Railroad Company has filed a bill of exceptions on appeal from the decision of Judge Greene in the suit against the city of Oakland to recover $1,258.75 protested taxes.

Harvard Professor Will Lecture

County Superintendent of Schools Garlick has secured Professor William James of Tarvard, the eminent philosopher, to lecture three days to the teachers at the next County Institute. There will be two lectures each day. The general subject will be "Science and Philosophy of Education."

Want a Half Holiday.

The Board of Supervisors of Alameda and Contra Costa counties, as well as Mayor Thomas of this city, have been asked to declare a half holiday on the afternoon of May 21st in honor of the great "Tunnel Road Day."

Enlists in the Army.

Charles Schuldt, who for two years has been a candy maker for Standeford, suddenly quit his job and enlisted in the First Regiment.

Professor Mommsen, the Roman historian, replied as follows to the question recently addressed to the artists and authors of Europe: "What manner of woman will the twentieth century woman be?" "The woman of the nineteenth century has given me so much food for thought that I have no room for her of the twentieth."

The Countess of Dudley, it is said, will soon marry Dr. Jameson of Transvaal fame. The lady is still a remarkably beautiful woman, and is as persistently young as the Princess of Wales.

Miss Mary Garmony of Rockford, Ill., was admitted to the bar recently at Ottawa. She stood at the head of a class of nine men. She is the first woman to be admitted under the stringent new regulations adopted about six months ago.

MARION McBRIDE.

A Famous Worker for the W. C. T. U. in Boston.

One of the famous workers in the W. C. T. U. ranks and one who stood very close to Frances Willard, is Marion McBride of Boston. She is a tireless worker and an authority on pure foods. Everywhere she goes, she recommends Postum, the famous food drink, for she knows of its great work in furnishing a pure, toothsome, hot beverage for breakfast, much like coffee in appearance and taste, but made by food experts of field grains, selected to furnish brain and nerves with the food demanded by nature.

It is especially welcome to those who find distress and disease follow coffee drinking.

Grocers supply it at 15 and 25 cents per package.

A well-known letter-carrier of Philadelphia, who is very popular with the officials as well as with the people he serves, and who has spent nearly twenty years in distributing mail around that busy quarter of the Quaker City bounded by the City Hall and Chestnut Street, says: "By reason of being on my feet most of the day, and because my duties compel me to be out in all kinds of weather, I now and then contract a cold, which used to result in disordering my entire system. However, I can say that during the past three years of service I have not stayed away even for one day on account of sickness, because Ripans Tabules have invariably helped and effectually cured me. I take a Tabule whenever I feel a change in the weather coming on, and whenever I feel particularly weary and sore from my day's tramp. One Tabule never fails to straighten me up and infuse new life into me. I do not hesitate to recommend them to my brother letter-carriers when they complain of the every-day sorts of ills, and I have never known them to fail. I owe a debt of gratitude to Ripans Tabules.'

A new style packet containing TEN RIPANS TABULES in a paper carton (without glass) is now for sale at some drug STORES—FOR FIVE CENTS. This low-priced sort is intended for the poor and the economical. One dozen of the five-cent cartons (120 tabules) can be had by mail by sending forty-eight cents to the RIPANS CHEMICAL COMPANY, No. 10 Spruce Street, New York—or a single carton (TEN TABULES) will be sent for five cents.

ITALY TORN BY DOMESTIC DISTURBANCE.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ROME, May 7.—The general situation here is regarded as being distinctly grave. It now seems to be clearly demonstrated that politics are mixed up in the disturbances which have occurred in various parts of the kingdom owing to the high price of bread, and the clerical party is believed to be fomenting the disorder. A royal decree issued today proclaimed martial law through Tuscany, one of the most fertile and best cultivated parts of Italy.

There was a renewal of serious rioting at Florence, the capital of Tuscany, last night, and there were further disturbances at Leghorn, capital of the province of that name situated on the Mediterranean about fifty miles from Florence. At both places a number of rioters were killed or wounded by the troops detailed to maintain order.

IN WOMAN'S WORLD

Perhaps this story of Mrs. Belva Lockwood is true, and perhaps it isn't, remarked the Binghamton (N. Y.) Herald: One day, while traveling on the Erie road, she was calmly watching the landscape when a trainman with a high tenor voice opened the door and piped out, "Belvidere!" As Mrs. Lockwood was the only woman in the car she rose to the occasion, and demanded that the men present thrash the trainman for the offered insult. It took a good bit of eloquence to convince her that it was the name of the station that the trainman had called.

Sophie Pataky, a Berlin writer, has just published a handbook of the works of German women writers since 1840, together with biographical sketches of the living, and an index of pseudonyms. The work is a book of 528 pages.

The Princess of Montenegro, who is in Rome on a visit to her daughter, the Crown Princess of Italy, is creating quite a sensation in the Eternal City by the peculiarity of her picturesque national costume, which she always wears. For driving her highness wears an ample silk cloak of vivid scarlet, richly embroidered in gold, with a diadem of black velvet ablaze with gold sequins and colored gems. At the opera she appears in cloth of gold and many jewels. She is a very handsome woman, still in the prime of life.

Sir Algernon West, in his Nineteenth Century article, "A Walk Through Deserted London," tells of the house occupied by the famous Lady Jersey (who was married in it) and her beautiful daughter, Lady Clementina Villiers. It was from this house that the well-known elopement of Lord Westmoreland and Miss Child took place; and when Lady Jersey's daughter, Lady Adela Ibbetson, followed her example, Lady Londonderry wrote a letter of condolence to her mother, deploring the event, but adding that it was the natural consequence of her bad bringing up. A few years later Lady Londonderry's daughter eloped, and Lady Jersey, who had kept her friend's letter, copied and sent it to Lady Londonderry.

"Do you want to know what true love really is," asks a contemporary. "Just interview that Augusta young woman who recently called on an Augusta dentist and requested him to extract as fine a set of teeth as one generally sees, explaining this strange request by remarking that her lover wore false teeth and she wanted to do the same."

Miss Sadie Winder of Morris, Pa., went to church a week ago Sunday, and the sermon put her to sleep. She did not wake up until the Wednesday following.

Queen Victoria's attention to public duties is unprecedented in a woman of her years. One example was the reception which she gave to the entire House of Commons at the time of the jubilee; and another was the reception she gave a few days ago to the entire crew of a war vessel that had been engaged in hard duty off the South African coast.

WHEAT TAKES ANOTHER BIG JUMP TODAY.

Touched $1.70 a Bushel in the Chicago Market.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, May 7.—May wheat scored sensational advance today, touching $1.70 a bushel, and closing seventeen cents higher than yesterday. July fluctuated violently and rose 5⅝ cents.

Today's short session of the Board of Trade was the most exciting in years. Professionals have been putting out short lines in late deliveries with great confidence. When closing cables from Liverpool, which were available at the opening of this market, showed advances of 3 2-3 cents for May and 5 cents for July, the bears were not so confident.

July started 1¼ @ 1⅜ cents higher at $1.02¼. May opened 1 cent higher at $1.50. This was the lowest quotation of the day. July rose irregularly to $1.06¾, reacted some and closed worth $1.06⅝. May trade was heavier than for some days previous. With 3 to 5 cents between trades, it climbed to $1.70, easing off and closing at $1.67 bid. Shorts did the buying, and Leiter's brokers supplied the May. They sold about 100,000 bushels on each advance of 5 cents, checking what would undoubtedly otherwise have been a "runaway market."

Close: Wheat, May, $1.67; July, $1.06⅝; September, 87¾.

Corn: May, 34½; July, 34⅞ @ 35.

Oats: May, 31; July, 27.

Alameda Educators.

A delegation from the Alameda Board of Education, accompanied by Superintendent A. D. Sullivan visited the Manual Training School Thursday. The inspection was with the view of establishing a similar institution in Alameda.

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DERBY DAY WILL BE A GAY AFFAIR

The Engagement of Miss Agnes Borland and Instructor Hart Is Announced.

The week has been one long anticipation—what with Mrs. Smith's charity fete for Saturday and the opening of the Piedmont cafe in the evening we will have feasting and gaiety enough for one day. The garden party is to be as delightful as possible, of course. The battle of flowers is almost as much fun as the throwing of rice after a wedding. The grounds of Arbor Villa are beautiful. There will be donkey rides, tennis and archery—everything except our beloved golf. There will be delicious things to eat, served by the lake, at Lilac Cottage ,and on the lawns, these to be supervised by Mary Hallahan, who, like everybody else, gives her services.

I suppose all the fresh new gowns will be out in full force, and I do hope it will be warm, else I'll not be able to wear my organdie. Everything is for charity, so I do hope everybody will loosen up a little and spend some money once in a way. Our boys are getting awfully stingy, really, but I suppose the poor things only get a little money and so haven't it to spend. But certainly, very few of them ever send flowers or do any of the nice things one would expect. They just go and go and go to all the parties and everything they are invited to, and never think of giving anything in return. They never even give a theater party, as the boys do in the East, or a nice little supper, or anything. They don't give tally-hos or ask us to drive. In fact, they seem to believe that it is infinitely more blessed to receive than to give. They know we can't get along without them if there is a dancing party or a dinner to give. And do you know that I think it is this same masculine stinginess and indifference that is the cause of the late wondrous growth of the afternoon tea, the afternoon card party and the ladies' luncheon. Economical hostesses think, properly enough, why should they entertain these men, who toil not neither do they spin, and never return hospitality in the slightest degree? They will come again and again, oh yes, and drink your champagne and eat your truffles, and when they have filled their nice little skins, they go away thanking you "so much," and when they make their dinner call hope to be filled again. And so it comes that the women are entertained and the men left out as far as possible.

But even the women are not wholly guiltless of social delinquincies. Behold the bridesmaids. They are a glittering example. Now when I was in my bridesmaid days, it was considered an honor for a girl to ask you to serve as bridesmaid, but that seems to be out of fashion now, too. It was considered almost obligatory of a girl if she accepted the invitation to be bridesmaid at all, to entertain the bride socially, before or just after the wedding. But I could mention several fashionable weddings where the bride has not as much as ever had a piece of bread and butter in the house of the girls who were her companions at the altar. And this has not been caused by poverty, but by sheer laziness, neglect or penuriousness. I think it's a disgrace and these are all people who pretend to belong to the first set and who know so little of what is expected of them as this.

Julia Crocker Buckbee, in the city, is complaining because none of her bridesmaids have entertained her since her marriage, but I don't know what she expects. She, herself, never entertained any of the girls for whom she was bridesmaid. So it serves her right.

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But to go back to the charity fetes of which I was talking, before I began to rail over our social degeneracy, there is to be a most delightful affair at Piedmont Park on Saturday evening. I am sorry it comes the same night as Mrs. Smith's affair, as I'm afraid we will all be wofully tired, but that is the plan. Piedmont Park has been fixed up by the Realty Syndicate Company, with Mr. Oliver as architect, and is a most attractive place, with lots of landscape gardening, hundreds of rustic seats for lovers and others, and many incandescent lights. One particularly a red one, sheds its light over the spring, which has been walled in with a grotto like that at Lourdes. It's awfully pretty. There is a cafe there, which will be opened on Saturday night. Everything there will be very dainty with all sorts of delicious things to eat. I understand that the cafe is to be permanently in the charge of Mary Hallahan, which means of course, that there will be many and varied good things to eat there. Saturday night's entertainment is to be a camp fire. The admission of ten cents all goes to charity, and the Ladies' Relief Society will be largely benefited.

Piedmont is going to be made fashionable. Mrs. Smith and others are going to have tally-ho parties there, and it will be quite the thing for quiet little suppers and Spanish breakfasts. There will be sociable little screens to throw around private parties, and though there is to be nothing but temperance drinks, private luncheons and dinners will be allowed to furnish their own wine, of course.

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Mr. and Mrs. George W. Reed gave a dinner on Tuesday night. It was a very pleasant affair. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Dargie, Hart North, Tom Crawford and Martin Egan, who is soon to depart for the Philippines. It will be a most jolly journey for him, with much to see and nothing to do. Everybody is envying him his opportunity to see the world.

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Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hall gave a card party on Friday night. There was a small crowd, the Cosmos Club and a few others.

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Mrs. H. M. A. Miller charmingly entertained Mrs. Kruttschnitt, the wife of the San Francisco railroad man, at luncheon on Friday. There were but six guests, but they all had a very lovely time.

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The C. O. G. Millers are quietly honeymooning in the Eastern States. I understand that the Tucker-McNear connection did not altogether approve of that alliance—thought it a little premature.

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Mrs. Coogan gave an afternoon at cards on Friday. There was a large crowd, the same set which was entertained at Mrs. Gorrill's.

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Mrs. E. M. Walsh's luncheon on Tuesday, a which the ladies of the Hawaiian set were entertained, was a very pleasant affair. The Walsh house on Linda Vista Terrace was daintily decorated and the guests included Mrs. Alexander, Mrs. Cook, Mrs. Bailey, and the others who represent the islands here.

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But the reception given by Mrs. John L. Howard on Monday afternoon was really a charming affair. Mrs. Howard is a charming hostess. The decorations were beautiful, mostly of sweet peas, and the afternoon one of the most enjoyable. It is hard and requires a hostess of real originality to make anything unique out of material so much overworked these days. Some sixty ladies partook of Mrs. Howard's hospitality. The entertainment was cards and the supper was served at round tete-a-tete tables.

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Miss Crellin entertained seventy-five of the young set at cards on Wednesday afternoon.

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Mrs. Hearst's garden party at Pleasanton in honor of the Berkeley faculty was charming, of course, Mrs. Hearst being a past grand hostess. Everything was elaborate, yet in good taste. There will be another for the graduating class. Mrs. Hearst is the fairy godmother for the whole University. Governor Budd never did a better thing than to make her Regent.

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On Friday evening Mrs. Henry Wetherbee of Fruitvale gave a musicale in honor of Professor Engelke of Philadelphia, an accomplished 'cellist and organist, who is visiting in Fruitvale. There were about seventy-five guests there and a delightful musical evening. It reminded everybody of the charming musical evenings Mrs. Wetherbee used to give so frequently. There was not a dull moment. It showed that careful arrangement will prevent that dragging which is so distressing at home musicales. Mrs. Wetherbee's rooms are especially arranged for that sort of thing, with the raised dias at one end of the drawing room and the stained glass and polished redwood. Nobody has ever given more delightful musicales in Oakland than she.

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The Mariposa is out and is really most interesting. There are contributions from little people and great. Frank Pixley's article is great. It is selling like wild-fire and the book sellers are handling it free. The ladies have already made a thousand dollars.

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Of course, Oakland was barren of men Friday night—all gone to the prize fight. I think it is horribly degenerating since we are not permitted to degenerate with them. Really they seemed to be more interested in that horrid old fight than in the war. Men are really dreadful beasts—but that they are beasts there can be no doubt.

An revoir until the garden party,

THE MEDDLER.

MRS. HEARST ENTERTAINS.

Mrs. Phoebe A. Hearst gave a garden party at her country place, Hacienda del Pozo de Verona near Pleasanton last Saturday in honor of the University faculty. A special train left this city at 1:30 P. M. with the guests, who were carried from the station to the hacienda in carriages.

The visitors were received in the parlor by Mrs. Hearst, assisted by Mrs. Jasper McDonald and Mrs. Kincaid and Joseph Clark, the latter a cousin of the hostess. The rooms were beautifully decorated with flowers, ferns and maidenhair, and on the front door was a bunch of flowers tied with blue and gold ribbons, the colors of the University.

Ballenberg's orchestra rendered appropriate music, and the afternoon was spent in viewing the treasures of the home and admiring the surroundings.

The tables were set on the broad verandas and on the lawn, and during the afternoon a luncheon was served under the supervision of Ludwig, the caterer.

The faculty was represented by President and Mrs. Kellogg, Professor and Mrs. George H. Howison, Professor and Mrs. William Carey Jones, Professor and Mrs. Bernard Moses, Professor and Mrs. Irving Stringham, Professor and Mrs. E. B. Clapp, Professor and Mrs. Thomas R. Bacon, Professor M. W. Haskell, Professor Frank Soule, Professor and Mrs. S. B. Christy, Professor F. G. Hesse and the Misses Hesse, Professor C. L. Cary, Professor and Mrs. H. Kower, Professor and Mrs. G. M. Stratton, Professor and Mrs. E. B. McGilvary, Professor C. M. Bakewell, Professor and Mrs. T. P. Bailey, Professor Gustav Gutsch, Professor Clive Day, Professor and Mrs. George C. Edwards, Professor and Mrs. A. O. Leuschner, Dr. Dickson, Mrs. Fredrich Stale, Professor and Mrs. Hersan, Professor and Mrs. C. D. Bradley, Professor W. D. Armes, Professor E. E. Brown, Professor and Mrs. W. A. Merrill, Professor and Mrs. W. E. Magee, Dr. and Mrs. F. H. Payne, Professor Edward O'Neill, Mrs. W. B. Rising, Professor and Mrs. Wickson, Professor and Mrs. Colby, Professor and Mrs. Audbry, Professor and Mrs. Cheesborough, Librarian and Mrs. J. C. Rowell, Mr. Noble, Dr. Babcock, Dr. Loughridge, Dr. d'Ancona, Professor A. P. Hayne, Mr. Heaton, Professor Perry, Professor Dressler, William Hart, Professor and Mrs. Jeffron, Professor and Mrs. Sawyer, Professor and Mrs. Syle, Professor and Mrs. Pierce, Professor and Mrs. Lange, Professor and Mrs. Ritter, Professor and Mrs. Hengstler, Professor and Mrs. Yelland.

The Board of Regents was represented by Mayor James D. Phelan, J. B. Reinstein, General J. F. Houghton, Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Guy Phelps, Judge and Mrs. James A. Waymire, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Denicke, George T. Marye, Mr. and Mrs. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Halladie, S. T. Black.

Stanford University was represented by Professors Angel, Campbell, Alladyce, Pease, and Stillman

Other friends of the University were Treasurer and Mrs. Louis Sloss, Mr. and Mrs. M. Gerstle, Dr. and Mrs. L. C. Lane, Captain and Mrs. Niebaum, the Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Jacob Voorsanger, Dr. Stallard, Mr. and Mrs. Shinn.

Shortly before 6 o'clock the carriages were again called into requisition and the guests taken to the train in waiting, and Oakland was reached before 8 o'clock.

To-day Mrs. Hearst entertains the senior class of the University.

THE REED DINNER.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Reed gave a charming pink dinner Tuesday evening at their home, 1001 Alice street. The decorations were La France roses, artistically arranged in clusters. Dainty name cards of pink illuminated with sketches were the graceful work of Miss Mabel Reed.

Those at the dinner were: Mr. and Mrs. George W. Reed, Miss Mabel Reed, Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Dargie, Martin Egan, Hart North and Tom Crawford.

THE M'NEAR PARTY.

A birthday party was given in honor of the sixth anniversary of Miss Ernestine McNear's natal day, Tuesday. The dining room was decorated with red, white and blue streamers and the centerpiece was a boat filled with red white and blue flowers and representing the Ship of State. The bon bon caps were of red, white and blue, and the favors were pretty red, white and blue baskets filled with candy.

There were some clever and original games, including a mysterious slight-of-hand trick, a trying on of Cinderella's slipper for a prize and a funny punch and judy show. Among the happy little guests were Corinne Metcalf, Gladys and Beulah Brigham, Harriet Alexander, Anita Thomson, Katie Bennett, Amy Bowles, Pauline and Katherine Wheeler, Deborah Dyer, Morris Augur, Walter Schilling, George, Robert and Barrell Bowles, Helen Coogan, Maud Maxin, Oakes Brigham, Amy Requa, Willie Magee, Albertine and Elsie Detrick, Marjory Mhoon, Elna Moseley, Margaret Moseley, Dorothy Taft, Kenneth Watson and Chrissie Miller.

THE DOUGLAS PARTY.

An evening at home in honor of Miss Maude Chambers was given last Saturday night at the residence of Mrs. Douglas, 2115 Blake street, by Miss Marie Douglas. Among those present were the guest of the evening, Miss Lynette Payne, Miss Margaret Stevenson, Miss Marie Douglas, Messrs. Fred Morris, William Hine, John Douglas, Arthur Jessup.

TRIO CLUB ENTERTAINED.

Mr. E. H. Benjamin entertained the Trio Club at his home on Oak street last evening. Prior to the elaborate supper there was an informal musicale. Mrs. Beatrice Priest-Fine sang and Helen J. Hager gave a violin solo. The Trio Club also gave selections.

The members of the Trio Club are: Miss Charlotte Collens, Mrs. C. H. Daly, Miss Nellie Davenport, Miss Adele Etechebarne, Miss Helen J. Hager, Miss Flora Kendall, Mrs. Winifred Wedgwood, Miss L. Florence Heine, violinist; Louis von der Mehden, Jr., cellist and director.

THE WRIGHT WHEEL PARTY.

On Thursday evening, Mrs. Helen Wright of East Oakland tendered a very delightful bicycle party to a number of her friends. The first part of the evening was spent in a moonlight wheelride, after which the guests returned to the home where games were indulged in. A dainty spread was prepared, and near midnight the couples filed into the spacious dining-room around the festive board. Fifteen couples enjoyed the evening's sport.

WILSON--WALKER.

One of the prettiest weddings of the season was that of Miss Florence A. Wilson and Wilber Walker Jr., which was solemnized at the residnce of the bride's parents, Captain and Mrs. A. Wilson, 537 Twenty-fifth street, Wednesday evening, May 4th. The officiating clergyman was the Rev. E. S. Chapman. The bride was attended by a sister of the groom, Miss Marguerite Walker. The bride was handsomely gowned in brocaded cream-colored silk with sash and richings of liberty silk. Her bouquet was white carnations. The bridesmaid was daintily gowned in white over pink with sash of pink silk. She carried pink roses.

The best man was Charles N. Walter, an intimate friend of the groom.

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The house was decorated very prettily by Miss Alice Mara of Berkeley, an intimate friend of the bride. During the ceremony, Miss Carrie Brown-Dexter sang softly, "Call Me Thine Own." She also favored the guests during the evening with a number of songs in her usual artistic manner. She was accompanied by her sister, Miss Ella Brown. Mrs. Statfeld also favored the guests with several delightful piano selections. Dainty refreshments were served by Hallahan, the caterer.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker are now on their wedding trip and when they return will be at home to their friends the second and fourth Friday evenings, at 537 Twenty-fifth street.

THE HALL PARTY.

A surprise party was given to Miss Rae Hall at her home last Saturady evening. Those present: George Schley, Miss Ethel Meyer, Harold Lewis, Miss Dasie Mulaney, Edward Bailey, Miss Lottie Hall, Leon Levy, Miss May Olsen, George Hall, Miss Lena Dean, Ed. Hyde, Miss Tillie Cook, Frank Hill, Miss Mae Dodge, Frank Hyde, Miss Anna Barnett, Joseph Rossi.

MURPHY--HAWLEY.

The marriage of Miss Lillian Marie Murphy, daughter of Judge Murphy of San Francisco, and Dr. (Arthur J. Hawley, the well known (Berkeley pharmacist, took place Saturday evening at the residence of the bride's parents, 129 Liberty street, San Francisco.

The ceremony was performe by Rev. Father Lynch of St. James Church.

The bride, who is a very charming girl, was attired in a dainty combination of white organdie, narrow white ribbon and Valenciennes lace. The corsage and sleeves were covered with the tiny cobweb frills, and the ribbon bands and the skirt had also an elaborate trimming of lace and ribbon. A satin tucked stock and white ribbon sashes finished the neck and waist and made a most appropriate frock.

The young couple will spend their honeymoon at Los Angeles. On their return they will occupy the Thomas residence, 2115 Bancroft way, Berkeley.

RAYMOND--SIMKINS.

Miss Janet Raymond has returned from Washington, D. C., where she has been spending the past four years and is now the guest of some of her girlhood friends. Since her return, her engagement to J. Hawley Simkins, an attache at the National Capitol has been announced. He is a young and brilliant man who promises to be a factor in national events. Her Washingtonian's marriage to his California belle his been set for June 6th and will be a very quiet affair owing to the recent death of Mrs. Raymond. Miss Raymond will be married from the home of her friend, 563 Twenty-fourth street and will leave shortly after to return again to Washington.

THE CRELLIN PARTY.

Miss Jennie Crellin was the hostess at a pleasant card party Tuesday. The handsome home on Alice street was lavishly decorated with hawthorne blossoms and pink roses. The young ladies played euchre, the prizes being won by Julia Leigh and Bessie Palmer and the consolation prize by Anita Lohse.

Among the young ladies present were Misses Anita Lohse, Pauline Lohse, Abbie Clift, Jula Leigh, Olive Middleton, Ruth Metcalf, Edith Gaskill, Grace Gorrill, Jean Howard, Bertha McElrath, Pauline Fore, Genevieve Fore, Ione Fore, Ethel Whitney, Helen Bell, Lillian Remillard, Blanche Sharon, Adah Brown, Harriet Kittridge, Martha Alexander, Sue de Fremery, Chrissie Taft, Bessie Palmer, May Burdge, Marion Smith, Sadie Hale, Gertrude Allen, Claire Converse, Emma Grimwood, Irene Baker, Alma Brown, Elsie Marwedel, Mrs. Havens, Grace Baldwin, Kate Chabot, Daisy Cartwright, Edith McCabe, Florence Edoff, Helen Garthwaite, Mabel Gunn, Elsie Selby, Sallie Quinan, Edith Selby, Elsie Gregory, Zena West, Grace McCormick, Edith Adams Alice Conklin, Kathleen Kent, Ruth Dunham.

A FRATERNAL BANQUET.

The Brotherhood of Andrew and Philip of the First Presbyterian Church of Alameda celebrated the tenth anniversary of its organization by a banquet at the church parlors last evening. The rooms were profusely decorated with flags and flowers. Among the guests were:

Professor W. W. Anderson, Messrs. Anderson, S. R. Chappel, A. B. Wastell, H. A. Wastell, Joseph Knowland, Dr. Sparks, Rev. W. W. Scudder, Jr., John Scudder, G. A. Bordwell, Morton, G. A. McConnell, H. H. Finch, E. F. Burrel, S. A. Burrell, Jackson, J. W. Brown, J. H. de Nise, Stark, H. B. Jackson, A. B. Cooper, F Linderman, Charles E Tabor, F. le Count, E. P. James, Charles B. Whiting, Parkhurst, J. W. C. Svendson, A. J. Burgner, B. C. Dunham, B. F. Barton, Norris Stark, William Shepherd, Charles Neames, D. McKean, George McKean, H. Lorber, A. Lorber, Dr. H. M. Pond, E. Anderson, C. McCurdy, J. H. Ginder, F. N. Eckley, J. E Agar, J. A. Pamiser, J. N. Young, Hierlihy, S. A. Ross.

At the principal table were the following ministers: Rev. Dr. Carson of San Francisco, Rev. Dr. Dille of Oakland, Rev. Dr. Palmer of East Oakland, D. Edward Collins of Oakland, Rev. W. W. Scudder, Jr., Rev. J. A. Wickham, Rev. E. Y. Garrette.

A RECEPTION TO MRS. PERRY.

A reception will be tendered to Mrs. Herman Perry, formerly the principal of the Sacramento Young Ladies' Seminary which was the fashionable finishing school in the early sixties. The reception will be tendered by the pupils at the home of Mrs. W. H. Mills in San Francisco, with whom Mrs. Perry is at present stopping.

THOMPSON--HILL.

The engagement is announced of Miss Lizzie S. Thompson of San Francisco to Bertram N. Hill of Alameda. The wedding will take place in Alameda Wednesday evening, May 18th, at 2707 Central avenue, the home of Mr. Hill's mother. Mr. Hill is well known in this city and is an employe of the local electric line.

THE MILES PARTY.

Mrs. William E. Miles entertained the Euchre Club of which she is a member last Friday. It was the final meeting of the season. Those present besides the hostess were Mrs. Colby, Mrs. Mathes, Mrs. Palmanteer, Mrs. Thomas Crellin, Mrs. Rudolph, Mrs. R. S. Moore, Mrs. Stevenson, Mrs. Merrill, Mrs. Mason, Mrs. Quinn, and Mrs. Hall.

A SHAKESPERIAN SUPPER.

The Shakespeare Section of the Ebell held its closing meeting for the season on Monday evening at the club rooms. During the winter, "The Tempest," "Midsummer Night's Dream" and "As You Like It" were studied and critically discussed, under the leadership of Miss Caroline M. Cushing of the Oakland High School. After the regular meeting on Monday evening, a dainty supper was served, during which various topics were assigned by Curator Mrs. Scupham, and responded to by those present. At the close, Miss Cushing and Mr. J. B. McChesney, former leader, were presented with some choice flowers, expressive of the appreciation of the class. Those present were Mrs. Bunnell, Miss Babson, Mrs. Childs, Mr. and Mrs. Owen, Mr. and Mrs. Kinsey, Mr. and Mrs. Dille, Mr. and Mrs. Scupham, Mrs. Ward, Dr. Craig, Mrs. and Miss Cushing, Mr. and Mrs. Mathews, Mr. and Mrs. McChesney, Miss Simpson, Miss Hambly and Will Childs.

THE COLBURN PARTY.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank D. Colburn entertained several prominent singers at their Alameda home Tuesday evening. The hall and reception rooms were attractively decorated with pink hawthorn blossoms. The dining-room was decorated with roses. A great bowl of these, in pale pink shading up to red, stood in the center of the table; while choice single specimens of the same flowers were scattered artistically upon the cloth.

A dainty supper was then enjoyed by about thirty guests, and conversation and music filled the remaining hours until midnight. Miss Mary Chester Williams sang "For All Eternity," (Mascheroni) and Arthur Foote's "Creole Love Song." The participants were Mrs. Blanchard, Mrs. Gardner, Miss Forester. Miss Warden, Miss Cohen, Dr Graham, Mr. Fickenscher, Mr. Mollenhauer and Mr. Vogt. To meet them at supper, Mr. and Mrs. Colburn invited Captain and Mrs. John Metcalf, Mr. and Mrs. William Abbot, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Kollmyer, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Van Sicklen, Mr. and Mrs. George E. Plummer, Mr. and Mrs. Holt, Mr. and Mrs. William Baurhyte, Mrs. Grant and the Misses Williams and others.

DUSENBURY--FARTHING.

From Australia comes the news of the marriage of a former well known Oaklander, John Benjamin Dusinbury, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Myron T. Dusinbury of this city. His wife was formerly Miss Ida Belle Farthing of Melbourne, Australia, and is a daughter of the late Judge and Mrs. Milwin Farthing. The marriage was quite a society event and was celebrated at St. Luke's Church, Brisbane, Queensland, March 13th.

The groom went to Australia from this city about two years ago and is at present, secretary of the Goold Bicycle Manufacturing Company of Sydney. While here, he was connected with the Oregon Coal & Navigation Company. He was a member of Oakland Parlor, No. 50 N. S. G. W and the Reliance Club and was popular both in a business and social way.

B. D. S. C. DANCE.

One of the most enjoyable parties of the season was given last Tuesday evening in Magnolia Hall, at Seventh and Magnolia streets. The function was held under the auspices of the Big Doings Social Club and was an unqualified success from a social standpoint.

The hall had been handsomely and tastefully decorated for the occasion and conspicuous among the effects were several large American flags.

Promptly at half past eight to the inspiring strains of a patriotic march rendered by the Beau Ideal orchestra, Floor Manager J. B. McCarthy with Miss Camilla Holmes as a partner, led the grand march, in which some seventy-five couples participated.

The march was unique, for many new evolutions were introduced which were both novel and interesting and were conducted with rare skill and judgment by the efficient and courteous floor manager.

Many of the ladies were attired in light gowns of tulle and swiss and some of costumes were uncommonly handsome.

Among the noticeable attires were those of Misses Sloan, Holmes, McCarthy, Keating, Nelson, Johnson, Barry, an others.

The great success attending the event has prompted the management of the Club to announce a repetition in the near future. The party was given under the management of J. B. McCarthy, floor manager; J. B. Nolan, assistant floor manager, and J. Coughlin, W. Smith, and J. J. Donnely, the reception committee.

The officers of the club are: President, P. J. Tehaney; vice president, J. B. Nolan; secretary, J. J. Donelly; treasurer, J. B. McCarthy.

A programme of twelve dances and two extras brought the evening to a close at about 12:30 A. M.

Among those present were noticed: J. B. MsCarthy, J. B. Nolan, P. J. Tehaney, J. J. Donelly, J. Coughlin, W. Smith, West O. Hennessey, Robert Burns, Mr. Wainright, E. Arthur Holland, Michael J. Hennings, Thomas B. R. Hopkins, M. R. McCarthy, M. J. Holland, T. Noble, C. Noble, H. C. Moeller, A. J. Flynn, Lloyd Sterling, William Dunlap, William Raffetto, Owen Mulvey, George Doolan, George McCarthy, William Murphy, Charles Gooch, James Flynn, J. Hanley, William McQuaid, James McCarthy, J. T. Fravis, J. T. McNamara, Walter Lieler, J. Toomey, D. Toomey, J. O'Brien, Mr. Madison, Mr. Foster, Mr. Campbell, B. Wright, Walter Janigan, J. Welch, J. J. Harrington, the Misses McCarthy Camilla Holmes, Grace Clements, Emma Gooch, Miss Barry, Miss Lefevre, Miss Dolan, Miss Cone, Rose Keating, May Nelson, the Misses Toomey, Annie Murray, Maggie O'Niel, Kitty Hanley, Miss Stone, Miss Flynn, Miss Johnson, Miss Ketler, Nellie and Kitty Harrington, Maggie O'Connell, Kitty Griffin, and many others.

ELLSWORTH--OLIVER.

The engagement as announced of Miss Susan F. Ellsworth, the daughter of Mrs. Henry G. Ellsworth of Niles, and Albert R. Oliver of Anaconda, Montana, formerly of this city. The engagement which has existed for some time has not been formally announced until the present. Both are well known in this city and were formerly members of the same class in the Oakland High school. Miss Ellsworth is a very pretty girl and belongs to one of the wealthiest families of Niles. Mr. Oliver is at present assayer for one of the famous copper mines of Anaconda, a position that is decidedly responsible. The marriage will take place shortly and then Mr. Oliver will take his bride to Anaconda.

A Daughter Saved.

WONDERFUL RECOVERY OF MISS HATTIE KING.

Stricken to the Bed and upon the Verge of Insanity—She Finds a Remedy when Hope had Almost Fled—The Best Physicians Failed to do Anything for Her.

From the Ithacan, Ithaca, N. Y.

Miss Hattie King, of 94 Humboldt Street, Ithaca, N. Y., who was recently so ill that little hope was entertained of her recovery, has entirely regained her health. Her case is one of unusual interest. Following is substantially the language of her stepfather, Chas. M. Burnett, corroborated by that of the mother, in speaking to a reporter of the *Ithacan:*

MISS HATTIE KING.

"Hattie is now seventeen years old. A year ago last August she began to complain of dizziness, which became gradually worse. She suffered excessive nausea and attacks of vomiting. There were days when she could keep little or nothing on her stomach. She also was troubled with kidney disease. Her blood was so thin that the drop or two drawn by the prick of a needle was almost as colorless as water. She had trouble with her heart and often fainted from the slightest exertion, as upon rising from bed, or from a chair.

"Another bad symptom was a cough, which was so unremitting that it was the general opinion of our friends that she was consumptive. She lost flesh rapidly. Sometimes she would be confined to the bed for two or three weeks, then be around again, but only to suffer a relapse.

"She was not only a physical wreck, but her mind was affected, and at times she had no realization of what she was doing. We feared, in fact, a complete mental overthrow and consequent removal to an asylum, for although we had two of the best physicians in the city, and had tried several proprietary medicines, none benefited her.

"We had read considerable about Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, and had also heard of some cases where they had done good and we decided to give them a trial. We purchased some at the drug store of White & Burdick, of this city.

"Hattie began to take the pills in the early part of January of this year. Improvement was noticeable after the first box had been taken. The first hopeful sign that I noticed was that she did not complain of headache. The attacks of dizziness also began to abate in frequency, and she ceased to cough. One after another, the distressing symptoms left her. She took, in all, nine boxes of the pills. At the present time she is in perfect health. The alteration in her mind and body is almost past belief.

"I cannot say enough in praise of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, for they saved the life of our daughter."

(Signed) CHARLES M. BURNETT.

Subscribed and sworn to before me May 8th, 1897. C. R. WOLCOTT, *Notary Public*, In and for Tompkins County, N. Y.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People are sold by all dealers, or will be sent post paid on receipt of price, 50 cents a box, or six boxes for $2.50 (they are never sold in bulk or by the 100) by addressing Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y.

A FACULTY RECEPTION.

President and Mrs. Martin Kellogg have isued invitations for a reception to be given at their home in Bushnell Place, Berkeley, Friday evening, May 13th, to the faculty and graduating class of the State University.

EATON--MORLEY.

The wedding of Dr. George L. Eaton, a member of the Board of Health, and Miss Helen Morley, daughter of the late John E. Morley, who was a wealthy land owner of Merced, will take place next Wednesday at the home of the bride's mother, 1425 Sixth avenue.

LORING--MARSHALL

The wedding of Charles August Loring, bookkeeper for the General Electric Company of San Francisco and son of Henry Loring of Alameda, and Miss Jeane Morrison Marshall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Marshall of this city, took place at the home of the bride's parents on the evening of the 28th ult. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. F. S. Brush. Miss Grace Marshall was the maid of honor, Sydney S. Marshall was the best man and little Miss Alice Preston the ring-bearer. The newly married couple will reside at 640 Railroad avenue, Alameda, on their return from a wedding tour.

TONIGHT'S COTILLION.

Miss Alys Miller announces that the Saturday Evening Cotillion will meet at Reed Hall tonight. She has arranged several pretty designs for the cotillion which will be led by Miss Isabelle Kenna and Arthur Kales. The dancers in the first set include Irving Burrell and Ada Kenna, Ed Pearce and Louise Belden, George Davis and Marion Goodfellow, Rudolph Schilling and Helen Chase, Whipple Hall and Alice Conkling, Hugh Goodfellow and Jacqueline Moore, Seymour Phelan and Emma Smith, Roger Chickering and Edna Barry, Ed Hume and Della West.

COSMOS CLUB MEETING.

Mrs. R. W. Gorrill entertained the Cosmos Club Thursday. She was asisted by Miss Grace Gorrill, and besides the regular members, a few intimate friends were invited to be present. The prizes were won by Mrs. Q. A. Chase; Mrs. James Allen and Mrs. Gordon Stolp.

THE COOGAN PARTY.

Mrs. T. C. Coogan was the hostess of a card party Thursday afternoon.

Sixteen hands were played and the prizes were won by Mrs. Arthur Crellin and Mrs. Landers, the consolation prize falling to Mrs. Goddard.

Among the guests were. Mrs. W. S. Watson, Mrs. Toy, Mrs. S. P. Hall, Mrs. C. H. Holt, Mrs. G. M. Stolp, Mrs. Edwin Goodall, Mrs. J. C. Campbell, Mrs. E. H. Kittredge, Mrs. Robert Leckie, Mrs. Anthony, Miss Horton, Mrs. J. L. Howard Mrs. Carlton, Mrs. F. M. Smith, Mrs. E. M. Herrick, Mrs. Pedar Sather, Mrs. W. E. Goodfellow, Mrs. E. B. Jerome, Mrs. Goddard, Mrs. Arthur Crellin, Mrs. Frank Brigham, Mrs. Beck, Mrs. Geo. McNear Jr., Mrs. Moody, Mrs. Ames, Mrs. W. J. Landers, Mrs. Al Eastland, Mrs. W. J. McClure, Mrs. A. A. Moore, Mrs. S. Alexander, Mrs. P. E. Bowles, Mrs. Q. A. Chase, Mrs. R. W. Gorrill, Mrs. Hayward Thomas, Mrs W. L. Oliver, Mrs. Arthur Donnell, Mrs. C. E. Snook, Mrs. F. E. Whitney, Mrs. T. L. Barker, Mrs. W. H. Chickering, Mrs. H. C Taft, Mrs. H. K. Belden, Mrs. O. P. Downing, Mrs. J. A. Folger, Mrs. W. E. Hale, Mrs. Allen, Mrs. Sutton, Mrs. Geo. Bayley, Mrs. Horry Meek, Mrs. H. C. Morris, Mrs. John Yule, Mrs. Sam Breck.

THE JENNE PARTY.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore J. Jenne celebrated their first wedding anniversary last Friday evening at their home, 836 Seventeenth street. Their pretty home was appropriately decorated with choice roses. National flags were artistically draped at the doorways.

The evening was pleasantly passed with various and novel games. Mrs. Orville B. Caldwell, Miss Carrie Monk and Miss Dollie Lebrecht favored the guests with songs, music and recitations.

About 12 o'clock the guests adjourned to the dining room, where American flags and evergreens were prettily draped, and a dainty supper was served.

Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Theodore J. Jenne, Mr. and Mrs. Henry East, Mr. and Mrs. Orville B. Caldwell, Misses Margaret Scott, Carrie Morck, Katherine Shaw, Kate Eggers, Dollie Lebrecht and Messrs. Frank Lewis, Al Benilean, George C. Jenne and George Eggers.

FRIDAY NIGHT COTILLION.

The Friday Night Cotillion gave its closing party of the season at Masonic Hall last evening. It was an exceptionally pretty affair, and was well attended. The hall was illuminated with red lights and prettily decorated with tropical plants.

Bert Georges and Miss Donnelly led the german and introduced several unique figures. The scroll and the arch figures were both new and attractive. Among the dancers in the first set were: Miss Reed, Rene Cuvellier, Miss White, Chas. Laurie, Miss Mills, George Jackson, Miss Yale, Phil White, Miss Nettie Yale, Fritz Catton, Miss Buckley, Hugo Helsey, Miss Atkinson, Eugene Treco, Miss Speaker, Mr. Deming, Miss Jackson, Mr. Gutzkow.

NATIVE DAUGHTERS CELEBRATE.

The members of Piedmont Parlor, No. 87, N. D. G. W., will give a patriotic social at Chapman Hall, Wednesday evening, May 8th. This social is for the benefit of a flag fund.

Piedmont Parlor will send as delegates to the Grand Parlor, which convenes June 1st, at Woodland, Mrs. Emma Munson and Miss Gertrude Surrybne, and Mrs. Emma Swaney and Mrs. Tillie Frick as alternates.

BORLAND--HART.

The engagement is announced of Miss Agnes Borland, the daughter of Mrs. Archie Borland, and Walter Morris Hart, instructor in English at the State University. Miss Borland is a well known and popular society girl, who is both cultured and accomplished. She has a decided literary talent, and formerly attended the State University. Mr. Hart is a brilliant and versatile young man, and holds a responsible position in the University force. No date has been set for the wedding.

THE FORESTER LUNCHEON.

Miss Forester gave a luncheon to six young lady friends yesterday. Those invited were: Miss Cadien, Miss Amy Cadien, Miss Porter of Woodland, Miss Winsboro of Philadelphia, Miss Langley, and Mrs. Hunt. The colors in the decorations were red, white, and blue.

A WEDDING ANNIVERSARY.

Golden Link Rebekah Lodge No. 10, I. O. O. F., gave a reception in honor of the Fifteenth anniversary of the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. C. Jorgenson. The hall was prettily decorated and an elaborate supper was served making it a most enjoyable affair. Among those present were: Mrs. A. M. Liese, Mrs. Louise Holmes, Mrs. P. Christensen, Mrs. E. Serp, Miss Amy Rodges, Mr. J. W. McComb, Mrs. J. Due, Mrs. L. Petersen, Mr. and Mrs. C. Jorjensen, Mrs. E. M. Lipka, Miss Irene Holmes, Mrs. A. Salback, Mrs. Alice Williams, Mrs. O. R. Rodges, Mrs. Ellen Maddocks, Miss Ida Maddocks, Miss Bess Prescott, Miss Nellie Seip, Miss Pauline Samuels, Mr. L. Petersen, O. Whipple, J. Knudson, C. Jenson, Miss C. Madson, Mrs. Sherman, Mr. G. Lauritzen, Mrs. G. Lauritzen.

A Correction Made.

A correction is necessary for an item published in the society news column of last Saturday's Tribune. An article was published purporting to be the account of a farewell party given by Miss Frances Shaw. The item was sent to the Tribune office, and being signed was supposed to be correct and was therefore printed. It proved to be a hoax, however, as Miss Shaw did not give any party, and the item was planned as a joke by a young man whose action in so doing deserves the severest censure.

TICKETS FOR SALE FOR THE DERBY DAY.

A Silver Goblet Is the Trophy for the Gentleman Who Wins.

The ladies of Fabiola Hospital Association held an important meeting yesterday at the hospital. There was an unusually large attendance, and the situation for the coming Derby Day was thoroughly canvassed. All the indications point to a highly successful meet. Several more people have expressed the intention of sending decorated equipages, among them Mrs. John Russ, Mrs. T. S. Corder, F. B. Thwaites, Mrs. William Clift, Mrs. John Wright, Mrs. M. W. Kales, Mrs. T. C. Coogan, Mrs. H. J. Hussey.

The trophy for the winner of the gentlemen's race will be a silver goblet, which is now on exhibition at Taft & Pennoyer's.

Tickets were issued today and may be purchased from any member of the association or at Kohler & Chase's or Standeford's store.

CASTORIA. The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

Pulpit and Pew

Subjects of Sermons by the Local Pastors.

Words of Wisdom to Be Heard in the Churches.

PASTORS MAKE ANNOUNCEMENTS

An Interesting Array of Subjects Being Prepared for Tomorrow.

The forty-ninth annual Diocesan Convention of the Episcopal Church of California will be opened next Tuesday morning. The convention is to be held in Trinity Church, San Francisco.

First Presbyterian Church—Corner Fourteenth and Franklin streets. Pastor, Rev. R. F. Coyle, D. D. Morning service at 11 o'clock; subject, "My Brother, and Sister, and Mother;" evening service, at 7:30 o'clock; subject, "The Reign of God." Dr. Coyle will preach morning and evening.

First Methodist Episcopal Church—Fourteenth and Clay streets. The pastor, Dr. E. R. Dille, will preach. Morning subject, "The Brackish Waters Sweetened;" evening, "The Qualities of a Good Soldier—Military Discipline and Christian Life Compared." Prelude on "Fabiola's Derby Day." All are welcome.

First Free Baptist Church—Twenty-first street, between Brush street and San Pablo avenue. Services at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. In the morning the pastor, Rev. Philip Graif, will preach on "Training in the Power of Religious Enjoyment," and in the evening on "Lessons from the Victory at Manila."

St. John's Church—Floyd J. Mynard, rector. Fourth Sunday after Easter. Services 7:45 and 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. At the morning service the Rev. Chaplain Wallace will deliver a discourse in memory of the Maine heroes.

Zion's German Evangelical Lutheran Church—J. H. Theiss, pastor. Services at 10:45 A. M., subject, "The Spirit Glorifying Christ."

The addition to St. Joseph's Home for Deaf Mutes at Fortieth street and Telegraph avenue, recently completed, will be blessed by His Grace, Most Rev. Archbishop Riordan, tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. Friends of the institution are invited to be present at the ceremony. Children will not be admitted.

First Christian Church—West street, near Eleventh street. T. D. Butler, pastor. Morning theme, 11 o'clock, "Personal Influence;" Lord's supper, 12 M.; Bible school, 12:15 P. M.; Junior Endeavor, 4:45 P. M.; Senior Endeavor, 6:15 P. M.; evening service, 7:30 o'clock; subject, "U. S. Sanitary Commission During the War of the Rebellion;" prayer meeting Wednesday 7:30 P. M.

Union street Presbyterian Church—Rev. H. D. Brasefield, pastor. Preaching both morning and evening by Rev. Edwin B. Hays, formerly of Modesto. At 11 A. M. the subject will be "Anxiety for the Church;" at 7:30 P. M., "The Power of the Cross."

Asbury M. E. Church, South—Preaching by the pastor, H. M. McKnight, 11 A. M., "What is Truth?" 7:30 P. M., "Honestly Mistaken."

St. Paul's Episcopal Church—Rev. R. Ritchie, rector. Fourth Sunday after Easter. Holy communion, 8 A. M.; Sunday school, 9:45 A. M.; morning prayer and sermon, 11 o'clock, subject, "Better Than Silver and Gold;" evening prayer with an address by Dr. Boone on "Missions in China," 7:30 o'clock.

President J. W. Nixon of the Northern California Mission of the Church of Jesus Christ of Later Day Saints will speak on the "Principles of the Gospel of Jesus Christ" at 1156 Washington street, Oakland, at 7:45 P. M.

The Salvation Army corps of Oakland is getting ready to give a tremendous welcome to Lieutenant-Colonel Wm. Evans upon his return from a visit to the City of Mexico, in which the colors of the Army will soon be flying. On Friday next, May 13th, an officers' council will be held at the citadel in the afternoon, to be followed by a welcome home tea party. At 7:30 P. M. a march will take place, when the officers from San Francisco, Berkeley and Alameda will be present, followed at 8 P. M. by a great public meeting led by Lieutenant-Colonel Evans. Next Sunday services will be held at the citadel at Twelfth and Washington streets at 7 and 11 A. M. and 3 and 8 P. M. Services are also held every Sunday at the city and county jails and county hospital, San Leandro, at 12:30 P. M.

Brooklyn Presbyterian Church—S. S. Palmer, pastor. Morning service, 11 o'clock; communion and reception of members; evening 7:30, "Hope's Anchor. After Sunday Mr. Palmer takes his vacation.

St. Andrew's Episcopal Church—West Oakland. Rev. J. Hulme, rector. Holy communion 7:45 A. M.; morning prayer, 11 o'clock; evening prayer, 7:30 o'clock. J. R. Riley, secretary of the vestry.

Fruitvale Presbyterian Church—Rev. E. E. Clark, pastor. Services at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Subject of morning sermon, "What Presbyterianism Stands For." During absence of pastor at Presbyterian General Assembly the pulpit will be supplied at morning service.

First English Lutheran Church—Rev. S. B. Barnitz, D. D., of Des Moines, will preach at 11 A. M., subject, "The Abiding Friend in Time of Need." Address on home missions and our country at 7:45 under auspices of Woman's Missionary Society.

First Presbyterian Church—The Rev. E. S. Chapman, D. D., will speak tonight at the prayer meeting of the church. His subject will be "The Anti-Saloon League Movement."

First Church of Christ, Scientist—Loring Hall. Sunday at 11 A. M., subject, "Jesus' Triumphal Entry Into Jerusalem."

Universal Brotherhood—Theosophical Society. Lecture by Mrs. S. A. Harris, subject, "Immortality." At Theosophical Library, Hamilton Hall, Thirteenth and Jefferson streets, at 8 P. M. Lotus group for children 12:30 P. M.

First Church of Christ, Scientist—Loring Hall. Sunday at 11 A. M., subject, "Parable of the Marriage Feast."

First Baptist Church—C. H. Hobart, pastor. Services at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Morning topic, "Christ and Social Life;" evening, Gustavus Adolphus, "The Christian Soldier," in the course "Men Who Make History."

Oakland Psychical Society—Fraternal Hall, 1156 Washington street. Mrs. R. S. Lillie of Boston will lecture at 11 A. M. Sunday.

First Congregational Church—Rev. Chas. R. Brown, pastor. Morning service, 11 o'clock, "Reputation and Character;" evening service, 7:30 o'clock, "The Christian Attitude Toward the War."

Reorganized church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints—Montana Hall, Adeline station. Sunday school 1 P. M.; preaching, 2 and 7:30 P. M. Seats free. No collection.

At the Young Men's Christian Association tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, Rev. A. H. Needham, the new pastor at the Chester street M. E. Church, will speak. There will be good singing and an interesting time is assured all young men who attend.

At the Church of the Advent, Episcopal, Corner Twelfth avenue and East Sixteenth street, Rev. V. Marshall Law, rector. Morning service at 11 o'clock, and sermon on "The Withered Hand." In the evening at 7:30, sermon, prayers and music in touch with our spirit of war for humanity. Mrs. Blake-Alverson and Miss Owens sing.

Tenth avenue Baptist Church—The pastor, Rev. C. M. Hill, will preach at 11 A. M. on "Fill the Cup of Life to the Brim." At 7:30 P. M. the thirty-seventh anniversary of the Sunday school will be observed. Exercises by the school, singing by the choir, and an address by Prof. Crawford of Lincoln school, and a chalk talk by Mr. S. R. Langford.

Market street Congregational Church, corner Market and Eighteenth streets. Rev. E. S. Chapman D. D. pastor. Preaching tomorrow morning and evening by Rev. E. F. Goff, pastor of the Congregational Church of Riverside, California.

Central Christian Church, 1169 Broadway, R. W. Sawyer, pastor. "Ready Men," will be the subject of the morning sermon. The evening topic will be, "Will Faith Alone Save Us?" Bible School meets at 12:15 o'clock. Junior Endeavor at 6:30 Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:15. Evening service at 7:30. A cordial invitation is extended to all who are interested in advancing the interests of primitive christianity.

UNION LEAGUE HAD AN ENTHUSIASTIC MEETING.

The Union League held an enthusiastic meeting at Hamilton Hall last evening. After an interesting address by Professor McChesney, a hundred views of Cuba were shown by means of the stereopticon. Congressman Hilborn, the member of the Naval Committee, had his picture displayed, and it was also greeted with applause. During the evening the following resolutions were adopted:

"Whereas, One of the objects of the Union League is to secure the speedy and equitable enforcement of law; and

"Whereas, Numerous delays have frequently occurred in this county in the prosecution of the criminal elements; and

"Whereas, These delays are commonly reported to be in the interests of certain disreputable gangs for the purposes of securing political prestige; therefore

"Resolved, That the Union League hereby expresses its condemnation of such methods and urges upon the prosecuting attorneys of the various courts the expediency and justice of securing a speedy conviction and sentence of the criminal elements."

JEFFRIES WINS THE BIG FIGHT.

Ten thousand people gathered at the Mechanics' Pavilion last evening to witness the big fight between Jim Jeffries and Tom Sharkey. The fight did not end in a knock-out, but Referee Alex Greggains declared Jeffries the winner.

Sharkey proved himself very clever at ducking and avoiding his big opponent's blows, and though Jeffries could not put the sailor out he clearly outpointed his adversary.

To mar the evening's pleasure an accident occurred. One of the highest rows of raised seats fell, and a number of persons were seriously injured.

A. P. Blake of this city was internally injured and sustained a number of painful lacerations in the fall.

William Lelelvre of Emeryville and I. F. Moffitt of Niles were also injured.

Want University Coaches.

University athletes are in demand as coaches. O. F. Westerfeld, the mile walker, has been secured to coach the track athletes of the Petaluma High school, and Roy Woolsey, the shot putter, hurdler and sprinter, has been engaged to coach the Santa Rosa High school team. Four High schools, Healdsburg, Santa Rosa, Ukiah and Petaluma, are all training teams for the annual Sonoma-Mendocino county field day, which has become the great athletic event of the two counties.

CHINESE LEPERS FIGHT AT THE INFIRMARY.

Gee Him Tries to Make Sausage Meat of Ah Lock.

The Attack Made While the Victim Was Asleep.

SAM YUP AND LEE YUP TONGS.

Some of the Difficulties Which Attend the Trial of a Leper.

The fight of the See Yups and Sam Yups was transferred from San Francisco to Alameda county this morning at the early hour of 2:30 o'clock and the hills behind the County Infirmary were selected as the time and place for the celestial blood-letting.

The battle was fought by two Chinese lepers, who for some time have been nominal inmates of the infirmary. They have not, however, occupied quarters in the institution, but have been segregated from the rest of the inmates by being domiciled in a little hut distant about a quarter of a mile from the main structure.

There was only one deadly weapon used in the conflict, however, and that was a hatchet, and it did work which may yet result fatally. That it did not accomplish the purpose of the Chinese who wielded it is due to the fact that Ah Lock, who was the victim, had fleet limbs which bore him out of the reach of annihilation.

Lock is a Canton Chinese and Gee Him is a Hong Kong Celestial. Both are badly infected with leprosy and have been experiencing a living death, each occupying half of a shaky hut which they have not enjoyed in either peace or harmony.

Their lack of harmony has been occasioned by fealty on the part of Lock to the See Yups and on the part of Gee Him to the Sam Yups. This diversity of allegiance has caused a number of bloody encounters between the two, but it was announced some time ago that hostilities had ceased between them and that the feuds of the rival tongs would no more ruffle their tempers.

This morning, however, the truce came to an end. Gee Him, who has been at the institution for a much longer time than Ah Lock and who is also the elder of the two, procured a hatchet, went into Lock's half of the hut and assailed the See Yupper, while the latter was asleep. The blade of the axe descended upon Lock's head a number of times, as also upon the neck and body, inflicting a severe gash at every descent and causing blood to flow in a copious manner.

Lock, when roused from his slumbers, realized before many seconds had elapsed the danger in which he lay, and jumped to his feet and fled as fleetly as he could from the hut.

Gee Him followed, but was unable to overtake Lock, who ran for life.

The injured man finally ran across the night watchman of the infirmary and was by him taken into the operating room, where his injuries were dressed by Drs. Clark and Lilley.

It was shown that Lock had sustained more than twenty cuts, some of which, especially on the head, were half an inch deep, and it is somewhat remarkable that they have not already resulted fatally. One of the blade cuts came very close to the jugular and another laid bare an immense section of the celestial's neck.

Sheriff White was notified of the attack by Gee Him, and as he was informed that the assailant was in no danger of making an escape, concluded to make inquiry as to what he could do in the matter of arresting a leper, and especially a Chinese, and imprisoning him in a jail in which others are confined, without running the risk of spreading the disease among the other inmates.

He thereupon sought Health Officer Dunn, to ascertain whether or not he would be justified in bringing the murderous leper into the city.

He did not think that Dr. Dunn would allow the leper to be brought within the city limits.

The Sheriff went to the Infirmary this afternoon, and pending the settlement of the case placed a deputy to mount guard over Gee Him, leaving the bloodthirsty celestial to occupy his pest haunted shanty.

The arrest of Him raises several novel questions. In the first place, the deputy cannot occupy the same apartment with Ah Lock without the prospect of contamination. That will necessitate the exercise of unusual vigilance on the part of the guard, because the prisoner, in the night, might dig out of his hovel and escape in the darkness.

Again, one man cannot watch four sides of a shanty both day and night, and it must, therefore, be apparent that a day and a night watch will have to be maintained. This will necessitate quite an expenditure on the part of the Sheriff, while the only revenue he could derive while keeping an eye on Gee Him would be the pittance of 20 cents a day, which would scarcely suffice to keep a well nourished highbinder in rats, rice and chop-sticks.

The next question which arises is where, when and how the diseased Chinese could be tried? To bring the would-be murderer into a court room might lead to contamination of the same.

Then, whether a jury could be forced to endanger its bodily health in trying a case is a matter which has never been determined in this county.

It would, of course, be the duty of the District Attorney to prosecute the Chinese, and in the furtherance of that work he would be compelled to cross-examine the defendant. This would have to be done through an interpreter and would necessitate the coming into close quarters of prosecutor and witness, for the reason that a long distance telephone might be ruled out on the ground that it could not speak to all the jurors at once, and the phonograph would have to come in, if at all, as a medium of giving testimony without a precedent.

Gee Him said today when he was asked why he had assaulted Lock, that he had learned that the latter had intended to raise a lot of spirits to take his (Gee Him's) life away.

Sheriff White was today notified by Dr. C. M. Fisher, physician for the County Jail, that he could not confine the leprous criminal within the prison walls, and that some other means of holding the man must be adopted. The Sheriff conferred with Judge Greene, and was advised to recommend to the Supervisors that they immediately authorize the construction of a separate compartment in which to place Gee Him. This would be built away from the main structure, where no microbes could have access to and fro.

Health Officer J. P. H. Dunn this afternoon positively forbid the Sheriff bringing in the leper prisoner.

BROWN'S CONFESSION HAS BORN FRUIT.

Dubuque Conference Sorry That It Acted So Hastily.

The Pastor Prays the Bay Conference to Forgive and Forget.

The Dubuque Association now regrets its action in accepting Dr. Charles O. Brown into membership, and has adopted resolutions expressive of regret, and has asked the Bay Association to forgive its hasty action.

The communication, which is dated April 28th and is signed by F. E. Hopkins, E. Adams and G. M. Orvis, explains that the Dubuque Conference at all times acted in good faith. It believed that Dr. Brown was the victim of conspiring persons and at times thought the Bay Conference was very much wrong.

As an excuse for holding such opinions, the committee sets forth that nearly all the members of the Dubuque Conference were intimately acquainted with Dr. Brown and when they listened to his elaborate and apparently plausible explanation, they could not help but believe that he was innocent. They were perhaps influenced in coming to that opinion by their intimate acquaintance with Dr. Brown and his family.

The communication will be considered at the next meeting of the Bay Conference.

Red Cross League Meeting.

The Berkeley Society of the Red Cross Association, and all those in sympathy with it, will meet at the First Congregational Church of Berkeley, corner of Dana street and Durant avenue, to-morrow at 4:30 P. M. Speeches and music will grace the gathering.

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured

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How the Remaining Patronage in California Is to Be Distributed.

News Comes From Washington That the Civil Service Laws Are to Be Modified.

(Special to the Tribune.)

SAN FRANCISCO, May 7.—One of the reasons why the practical politicians are now turning their attention so earnestly to the State Campaign is that there is very little Federal patronage remaining undistributed in California. With the exception of the United States District Attorneyship and the Receivers and Registers of the San Francisco and Sacramento Land Offices there is nothing much about worth figuring on, saving of course the many deputyships and subordinate positions that would be thrown into the arena if a modification of the Civil Service laws could be obtained.

Many are building up their hopes though on this very Civil Service proposition. The agitation that is going on all over the country with the object of having the barriers partially removed if not altogether, will, it is thought, bear good fruit and there is no gainsaying the fact that the pressure being brought to bear on the different Republican Senators and Congressmen may result in more sweeping changes than at first seemed probable. The only stickler to the proposition is that McKinley when a Congressman was one of the staunchest supporters of Civil Service Reform and he hesitates therefore to now do anything that might be considered as stultifying himself.

From advices received by inside sources though I hear that the President has told some of the members of the Senatorial Committee on Civil Service Reform that he will follow the suggestions made by them. This does not, however, mean that any very radical changes will be made, for the Committee decided to be as conservative as possible and to only declare outside of the Civil Service schedule those positions that on the face of them show that the heads of the departments would be able to render better service if conceded the naming of their own forces. Under this category is to come the Division Deputies of Internal Revenue and the Deputy United States Marshals so those who have received a quiet tip in advance regarding the prospective changes are already at work trying to land in the proposed vacancies.

As far as this particular part of the State is concerned the remodeling of the system will mean seventeen or eighteen more appointments for Collector Lynch of Internal Revenue and as the places pay from $125 to $150 a month with a four years term there is naturally a demand for them. A number of those who served in the last Assembly are on the candidates' list and among those who will probably be accepted are Leon Dennery of San Francisco and James W. Clark of Alameda county.

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In the United States Marshal's office the declaring the deputies not under Civil Service will create much consternation for those who have been enjoying service under Barry Baldwin have been figuring that they were there permanently. As there are twenty-one employes ranging from $2 per day to $900 per year outside of traveling emoluments and special privileges for the chief deputy, it will be seen that the patronage of the office is well worth striving for.

Senator Shine who succeeds Baldwin as Marshal will take office on the 30th of the present month but no other changes will be made at that time. When, however, the expected order comes from Washington the programme is to put in George H. Burnham of El Dorado as Chief Deputy.

Apart from the offices on which the Senate Committee has agreed that a revision of the schedule is necessary, a fight is being quickly made to have the Shipping Commissioner of San Francisco taken off the Civil Service list. Just how the place got there is rather strange for when Cleveland's celebrated order went into effect it was not anticipated that the head of any department would be declared a permanent official but only the deputies and clerical forces. However, when the law got on the statute books, there was the Shipping Commissioner of San Francisco on the protected list as also the Commissioner of New York.

Now as the Commissionership here pays $4,000 a year and is more or less of a sinecure it has been a point of attack over since the Republican Congressional delegation got to Washington. The term of W. M. Gwinn expired in June 1897, but so far every attempt to have him removed has failed and as his office is not included in the list submitted to the President by the Senate Committee it looks as if his prospects for holding on are as good as ever.

It is understood though that the hammer is being used in another direction and those manipulating it say that the indications are that it will prove effective. Paris Kilburn the Bank Commissioner, who by the way, always has the happy faculty of falling into a good job is said to have the best chances of landing in the place if Gwinn goes, though Ex-Fire Commissioned Jack Martin is also making a lively bid for it.

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Greedy eyes are being turned towards the Mint where the big staff of employes offers many opportunities if the Civil Service laws can be evaded in any way. Although the establishment is being conducted with a smaller working force than for many years there are rumors that more of the employes are to go, though this, it is said, is simply a subterfuge to evade the Civil Service law for within a few weeks after the places have been declared vacant it can be suddenly discovered that men are necessary again, whereupon appointments can of course be made from the Republican list. This is really about the only loophole the Civil Service law affords and it is a comparatively easy one for there is no provision whereby those employes whose places are declared vacant shall be preferred in the event of it being necessary to obtain more help again.

Dan Cole will take office as Coiner on August 2nd and I hear that on the 11th of the same month J. W. Pack of Alameda the present Assayer will have to give way to Edward Ellas of Calaveras county. This is the first time this information has been given out and the proposed change may be questioned. I, however, have it from very reliable sources that such is the programme. The Assayer's place like the Coiner's pays $3,000 a year but it is different from nearly every other position in the establishment in that it requires the possession of technical knowledge. Elias is a well qualified mining man, so outside of politics he can fill the bill all right. It must not be supposed though that there is dissatisfaction of any description as regards Pack—on the contrary he is one of the most capable and popular officials the Mint has ever had.

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And now as to the United States District Attorneyship. Foote's term will expire on the 20th of next February and the programme has been right along that Frank L. Coombs will succeed him. However, the fact that Coombs is now State Librarian would, it was figured by many, cause a change of arrangements, owing to the undesirability of having two good offices tied up to the one man. I hear though that the original proposition will be carried out, that is to say that Coombs will become the District Attorney. This will, of course, lead to his resignation in January or February of the State Librarianship which may then go to Captain Seaman of Los Angeles who is at present one of the deputies. Seaman was formerly Deputy State Superintendent of Schools and was at one time Register of the Los Angeles Land Office. He was a candidate for Librarian in the first place but could not make it, owing to the division of interests among the trustees. It is in the probabilities that if this new programme is carried out and Seaman succeeds Coombs, Jim Gillis will get back in the Library again with a good deputyship. If he does, it will be through the influence of Trustee Frank Ryan who is now very much interested in placating Gillis and his friends so that he will not have to encounter their antagonism in his Congressional fight.

In this connection I wish to correct an erroneous impression that has been conveyed regarding Senator Tirey L. Ford. Although it is true that he was at one time in line for the United States District Attorneyship he will not get back in that fight again but will devote all his energies to his canvass for the State Attorney-Generalship. The Senator assured me personally this week that that was his programme and no other so that settles it. He is thoroughly satisfied with the way his fight is going and he certainly carries with him in his canvass the best wishes of all who know him for there is not a squarer, nor better fellow before the people as a candidate for office.

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It is understood that there is a surprise in store for Deputy United States District Attorneys Sam Knight and Bert Schlessinger. It has all along been said that they would continue to draw their comfortable salaries of $2,500 and $1,500 per annum, respectively, the point being that they were under Civil Service and therefore could not be removed. This is, however, declared to be erroneous and I hear that there will be practically a clean sweep of the office when Foote's successor goes in. Candidates for Knight's and Schlessinger's places are already in sight, among the applicants being Clinton G. Dodge of Oakland, Judson Brusie of Sacramento, and R. B. Coffman of up-country.

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A word or two as to the Receiver and Register of the Land Office at San Francisco will not be amiss. The term of Captain Ed Hackett who holds the first-named office will expire in February next, while that of John P. Dunn, the present Register, will end July 10th. The competition to succeed them is very keen but I understand that J. R. Hepbron of Salinas will get one of the places to a certainty, while Colonel L. L. Bromwell of Oakland has a good chance for the other. There is no difference between the two places as to emoluments, the only preference as to the Registership being that that official only has to give a $10,000 bond, which is a more or less nominal affair, whereas the Receiver has to supply a $55,000 financial guaranty bond, which obtained from one of the Surety companies entails an expense of from $300 to $500.

While the programme as to the appointments is inclined to be as set forth above, still the matter is not settled by any means as regards Colonel Bromwell, for there are five very active contestants lined up against him. They are Editor Barstow of Marin, Sam Thornton of San Francisco, Theodore Reichert of Berkeley, Judge Hunt of Alameda, and Frank Brandon of San Jose, the last-named being the popular secretary of the Senate.

As regards the other land offices throughout the State, the Los Angeles district is already disposed of and at Visalia George Stewart has succeeded Register Patrick and Captain Norris will take Pueschel's place as Receiver as soon as he gets his bond fixed up. At Sacramento the terms of both Receiver and Register do not expire until 1900, so no one has been figured on there yet, while at Eureka, Thompson has already been re-appointed Register and the Receivership will not be vacant until July.

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In March of next year Colonel John P. Irish will it is anticipated surrender the naval office to Billy Hamilton for he will by that time have exceeded his term one year and thus have obtained in salary the sum of $5,000 as a reward for his services during the last campaign when as a Gold Democrat he toured through the country on Bryan's trail, spiking his guns. Hamilton has been slated for the position from the start, and there is no fear that any one can get it from him as he did all the hard work of Senator Perkins' campaign and certainly proved himself entitled to a slice of the best patronage in sight.

The new sub-treasurer, Julius Jacobs, will take his office on the 15th of next month, on which date the term of Fulton G. Berry will expire. Jacobs was nominated several months ago, but Berry's friends worked hard to have him retained for his full term, and with such good effect that the Senate took no action on Jacobs' appointment until the other day, when he was confirmed. The place pays $4,500 a year.

The term of Pension Agent P. F. Walsh will end July 17th next, and as to who will succeed him is yet a very open question. The place of course is to go to a Grand Army man and it was hoped that that organization would agree on a candidate and present his name to the Congressional delegation. Owing, however, to the factional fights in their ranks, and the multitude of candidates, they have so far been unable to do so, and it looks as if at the last moment the man will have to be chosen for them. The place pays $4,000 a year, and among the many contestants Oakland has four in the persons of Colonels Douglas and Hoguet, and Majors Woodward and Pico.

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Before dismissing the subject of Federal patronage and appointments, I wish to correct an error of construction that crept into my letter last week. In referring to the examination that is being held to-day for adjuster of the Mint, I said that as the place is to be held by a woman the examination is to be an elementary one. I have been very properly called to account for this by a lady who has championed the cause of woman on many occasions, her comments in this regard being as follows: "Could the women who hold Governmental positions possibly be more illiterate than the men? And do you not know that there are two girls to every one boy who go through the High School and that as many women as men graduate yearly from colleges and universities? The time has gone by when statements about the uneducated woman are even true."

All of which I am glad to acknowledge I coincide in most freely. I did not intend by my remarks last week to detract one iota from the worth or merits of woman—what I intended to convey was, that the position of adjuster for which the examination is being held is one that does not demand any technical knowledge and that therefore only an elementary examination was required.

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Apropos of the fight last night between Sharkey and Jeffries I hear a good story about the sailor that is appropriate at this time. It dates back to the eventful four round go that took place at the Mechanics' Pavilion a couple of years or so ago between Sharkey and Corbett, and is, I think, now being told in print for the first time.

The point of it is that Corbett on that occasion got what is known in sporting circles as the "double cross." Sharkey at that time had just brought himself into local prominence as a fighter, but had no reputation in that regard that could be considered as worth very much save and except enough to draw a big house in San Francisco. Now, Corbett was then in the very zenith of his career, and it was realized that a match between him and the sailor would draw a big house simply on the proposition that the sports would like to see Jim in the ring again.

As the story goes, he was therefore approached to meet Sharkey in a four round go, and was told that Sharkey would "lie down" in the second or third round. With this understanding Corbett made the match, and thinking it all cut and dried, did not bother about training of any description. Well, the night of the fight came, and Jim went into the ring laughing to himself at what an easy thing it was to make money that way, by having a crowded house on a sure thing proposition.

The gong rang, and Sharkey stepped to the center. Corbett was inclined to be merciful to him, thinking that the sailor only wanted to make a showing preliminary to lying down. Much to his surprise, though, Sharkey kept at him with a ferocity that meant business, and at the end of the first round it dawned on Jim that he had been "conned."

The rest of the encounter is a matter of sporting history. Corbett, being absolutely untrained, had as much as he could do to keep his feet to the end of the contest, for the sailor, who had got himself in superb condition for the event, kept at him all the time, and nearly had him going on more than one occasion. Jim was as mad as a wet hen when the fight was over, and tried his best to find out just who it was that put up the job on him, but he never could satisfactorily run it down, and had to let the matter drop.

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The Club will have its own house where the active members may reside.

Stanford Election.

Stanford University students held their annual election yesterday, and it resulted as follows: President Associated Students, Charles E. Schwartz; vice president, T. T. C. Gregory; secretary, Miss Frances Tucker; treasurer, A. B. Morgan; executive committee, W. C. Crandall, Ralph Arnold, H. E. Lougheed, A. J. Edwards, P. K. Gillman, C. A. Cantwell; athletic committee, E. S. Williams, J. T. Nourse, J. A. Bentley, Clare Strohn, R. N. Diggles, Rea Smith, Everett W. Smith; editor in chief Daily Palo Alto, C. P. Cutten; business manager Palo Alto, E. E. Morgan; editor Sequoia, Bristow Adams; business manager Sequoia, Fayette Birtch; baseball manager, Jas. Lanagan; track manager, R. K. Culver; tennis manager, R. C. Victor.

The Alameda League.

The meeting of the managers of the Alameda County Baseball League was held yesterday afternoon, but all the managers were not present and another meeting will be held next Tuesday. It was decided that there would be four clubs in Oakland, as follows: Reliance, Heesemans, High Schools, and Piedmont Parlor, N. S. G. W.

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Rev. J. B. McNally, pastor of St. Patrick's Church of this city, delivered a lecture in Metropolitan Hall, San Francisco, last evening on the "Conscience of a Citizen." It was one of the lectures in a series given under the auspices of the Young Men's Institute, and especially under that of Strossmayer Council No. 469 of the order. There was a varied programme of literary and musical features, among which was a poem full of poetry and patriotism entitled "Hail to Our Flag," which was composed by Father McNally and read by Miss Nellie Devers. The reading was done in an excellent manner and the sentiments of the piece were received with the greatest demonstration of approval.

The lecture by Father McNally was not less patriotic, and the applause which greeted it filled the auditorium at the close of every sentiment.

Among other things, Father McNally said:

"I bow in veriest homage before the spirit of George Washington, the personification of the purest patriotism. He was the ideal citizen.

"We are rulers," said Father McNally. "You, citizens of the United States, are kings, and you rule by the divine right of kings, and the phrase, 'divine right of kings' has no meaning except in your case. Christ proclaimed the divine rights of man, and this country has impressed the lessons of the Savior in that regard on the nations of the world.

"God bless the soldiers and sailors of this free land and give the victory into their hands. Man's inhumanity to man has been the horror of this as well as preceding ages, God designed this country as an experimental spot for teaching to the world the brotherhood of man and the fatherhood of God. We have lately seen that this country has the power to enforce its teaching of the heavenly doctrine that all men are created free and equal.

"As to the war over Cuba, I have no such opinion as that there can be any debate about the necessity for it or the justice of it. President after President gave Spain a certain time in which to suppress the rebellion in Cuba, and Spain kept imposing more tyranny on the Cuban people. The Cubans were simply asserting their right to govern themselves, a right which they said they got from God. They fought to back up their assertion. Spain's tyranny could no longer be tolerated. Every foot of the island was marked by sad evidences of cruelty. At last we have taken up the sword to enforce the divine rights of a people, and God will strengthen our hands. I may make a comparison between Cuba and Ireland. We see the history of Ireland repeated in Cuba. Yet England, as the terrible oppressor of Ireland, was a demoniac hater of our faith. Spain, on the contrary, has the same religious faith as the people it has oppressed. It has simply given vent to a malignant disposition. All honor to America for raising its arm for struggling humanity. God will strengthen that arm.

"I am willing to go forth and defend that emblem of eternal liberty and justice, the Stars and Stripes. I am willing to gather 200 gallant young men to fight for Cuba and for the flag of this great country. I see that it is said that Catholics are loyal. Catholics are loyal at all times! No people are more devoted to the Catholic religion than the Irish, and as one by one they leave their native land to come to Columbia's beautiful shores, Erin tells them to be faithful to the Stars and Stripes, to blend its beautiful colors with the sunburst of the Green Isle, and to live and die if need be under its folds. The American Catholic Church the brightest jewel in the Catholic tiara, is also as bright a jewel as can be found in the crown of liberty that Columbia wears. Democracy is built on religion. The children of the Nation who are most faithful in the practice of their religion are also the most loyal of the sons of the Republic. There is no parallel to an army of Irish soldiers. Get a few regiments of Irish soldiers together under the Stars and Stripes, and good-bye to Spain. God prosper the soldiers of America."

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A Unique Entertainment Given by the Christian Endeavorers.

A novel entertainment was given last evening at the Plymouth avenue Congregational Church for the purpose of raising funds for the Christian Endeavor Society. It was called a picnic social and every one who attended wore picnic costume, and the decorations were of ferns, brakes and willow.

Russell Whitman, in the attire of a New England farmer, welcomed the picnicers to his fields in a little speech of good-natured "Squash-Town" vernacular. He said that no shooting would be allowed on the grounds while the picnicers were his guests and a notice bidding the children beware of the pond was pasted conspicuously over a tub of water.

The picnicers played that the benches were trees and ate their lunch on the floor beneath their shade. Out door games were played and the following programme was given during the course of the evening:

Orchestra Mr. J. Scheithe, cornet; the Misses De Pass and Master De Pass, violins; male quartette—first tenor, J. E. Dean; second tenor, H. Mohr; first bass, W. O. Morgan; second bass, H. Holcomb; soprano, Miss Carrie Little; reading, Prof. Whitehorn; recitation, Miss Neva Kenaga; selection by orchestra; humorous reading by Prof. Whitehorn; male quartette, "The Bold Fisherman"; soprano and tenor duet, "O, That We Two Were Maying," Miss Carrie Little and Mr. Dean; violin solo, selected, Master De Pass (first appearance in public); male quartette, "Old Farmer John"; lunch spread on the ground.

A flashlight picture was taken at the close, and in exploding the powder, the draperies of the church ignited. Before the danger could be fully realized, the flames were extinguished, and no damage was done.

U. C. ALUMNI WILL MEET ONCE AGAIN.

President W. R. Davis of the Alumni Association of the State University has announced that commencement day, May 18th, will be the occasion of the annual re-union. There will be a luncheon at Harmon gymnasium at noon, and a banquet the California Hotel, San Francisco, at 6:30 P. M. The following committees are co-operating to make the Alumni reunion a success: Edmond O'Neill, W. E. Ritter, George C. Edwards, E. W. Davis, and H. B. Torrey of the Alumni Association; Charles S. Greene, H. A. L. Ryfkogel, L. Van Orden, Miss Emma Hefty, F. A. Beckett and Louis de F. Bartlett of the Associated Alumni; secretary James Sutton, Berkeley.

Bakewell's Appointment.

C. M. Bakewell, instructor in philosophy at the U. C., who is one of the brainy young men Professor Howison has gathered about him, has been given and has accepted a call to Bryn Mawr, where he will become the head of the department of philosophy in that famous woman's college. Mr. Bakewell graduated from the U. C. in 1888, and afterwards took courses in Eastern and European universities.

Adjourns Sine Die.

The West Oakland Improvement Club has adjourned sine die. Considerable difficulty has been found in securing a quorum at the meetings, so it was decided to adjourn pursuant to the call of the chair.

Allen Wins a Scholarship.

Albert Henry Allen, who graduates from the State University on the 18th, has been awarded the Harvard College scholarship annually offered by the Harvard Club of San Francisco.

SEVENTH WARD REPUBLICANS ENTERTAINED.

The Fighting Chaplain Tells of Experiences in War Times.

The first gun in Congressman Hilborn's campaign for re-election was fired last night by his supporters at the second meeting of the Seventh Ward Republican Club. It came in the form of the following card.

"Believing that Hon. S. G. Hilborn has faithfully and efficiently served the people and that at this critical time he should be sustained at his post of duty where he is a prominent member on some of the most important committees of the House of Representatives, I authorize the enrollment of my name among his supporters.

"I agree to attend the primaries and aid in securing his relection by every honorable means."

Many of the cards were circulated and a number were returned signed by those who will fight under the Hilborn in the political struggle.

The meeting was not wholly one of business, for Chaplain Wallace, the fighting parson of the navy, was on hand to speak of the merits of the war and a quartette had been invited to furnish musical refreshment.

The routine of the evening consisted in the naming of the Executive and Finance Committees. For the former, President Rowe named C. H. Daly, chairman, W. A. Dow, Judge J. J. Yule, T. W. Ballister, Wilbur Walker, J. W. Phillips, F. G. Conklin, L. G. Hardy, Dr. N. K. Foster, I. I. Boak, B. H. Welch, H. Tum Suden, H. W. Martin, George Mason, K. M. Hayden, J. W. Evans, W. A. Donaldson, and Jefferson Gilliam.

The Finance Committee consists of W. D. Thomas, chairman, W. H. Fifield, A. J. Reid, O. C. Lombard, W. R. Emery, C. H. Cornell, W. S. Dolbier, W. H. Hamilton, T. A. Downing, J. Alexander Campbell, G. R. Williams, and J. D. Parks. Robert Collett was named as sergeant at arms.

Preliminary speeches were made by President Rowe, Vice President Boak, and Dr. Foster, and the Acme Quartette, composed of Messrs. Cliff, Viven, Philbrick, and Miller sang before Chaplain Wallace was called.

His remarks were brief. He told a story in opening and then to some extent lampooned the clergy of Oakland who oppose the war.

According to the speaker, man is a fighting animal and must occasionally give vent to his bellicose propensities.

"A war," said he," is needed to purify the atmosphere, for man, like dogs and other lower animals delights in a fight. When I was a boy I fought myself and I am glad of it. The number who are absent tonight attending to a little matter in San Francisco goes to prove what I assert.

"Our present war is founded on justness and we will succeed, although we must not expect one steady stream of victories. We will have our reverses and then the Copper Heads will appear just as they did in '61. Eventually Old Glory will triumph, and peace will once more bless the world."

The Boston minister who attributed the war to Captain Bisbee's attendance at a bull fight was virtually flanged by the fighting parson in his closing words he told some experiences with the navy and naval officers.

The remarks were so enjoyable that upon the motion of T. W. Le Ballister it was decided to have another lecture to which the ladies will be invited. It will take place in about two weeks at Washington Hall.